

# SPRAGUE UTILITIES RESTRICTION MEASURE IS KILLED

Columbus, May 5.—The house today killed the bill of Representative Sprague, of Scioto county, which would have given the State Public Utilities commission the right to dictate whether new utilities should enter any field already being supplied with similar service. The vote was 18 to 75. Opponents of the measure urged that it would restrict competition unduly and make it difficult for new utility companies to enter any field. Representative Sprague, in defense of the bill, explained that it would prevent entrance of companies, intended only as financial propositions, to be bought out by existing utilities. He said a number of states have enacted similar measures, and considered them progressive in nature. The bill would have excluded municipality owned utilities from its provisions. Telephone companies now have to get a "certificate of necessity" before entering a field occupied by another telephone company. The Sprague bill sought to extend this provision to other utilities.

# U. S. REFUSES GERMANY'S OFFER IN FRYE CASE

## PRIZE COURT RULING NOT ACCEPTABLE, IS TEXT OF U. S. ANSWER

Washington, May 5.—The text of the American note to Germany declining the suggestion that reparation for the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye by the converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich be made through a German prize court and resending the representations for indemnity, was made public today by the state department. It already has been presented to the Berlin foreign office in the form of a communication from Ambassador Gerard. It follows in part:

"In reply to your Excellency's sailing vessel William P. Frye by note of the 5th instant, which the government of the United States understands admits the liability of the Imperial German government for the damages resulting from the sinking of the American

## ITALIAN SITUATION IS COMPARATIVELY QUIET, RESUME NEGOTIATIONS

Rome, (Via Paris), May 5.—The meeting of the cabinet which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed until this afternoon. A semi-official note says the minister will consider the question of resuming parliamentary work.

The excitement caused by the abandonment of King Victor Emmanuel and the minister of their proposed trip to Quirio Santhema has subsided in parliamentary circles where it is believed there has been essential modification.

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## MINERS AND OPERATORS TACKLE NEW PROBLEMS

## PERJURY CASE GOES TO JURY

New York, May 5.—The case of Frank D. Sifford, the aged hotel clerk of the Hotel Kensington, in Manhattan, N. Y., who has been on trial for more than a week charged with perjury in connection with the \$50,000 breach of promise suit brought by Miss Rae Tanager against James W. Osborn, a well known criminal lawyer, went to the jury today.

## DR. COOK IN NEW ROLE

Chicago, May 5.—Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, announced today that he would attempt to climb Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, the highest mountain in the world, this summer. He will sail from San Francisco with a party of twelve persons on May 27, he stated, and expects to reach Nepal, in Northern India in July. "The purpose is exploration," said Dr. Cook.

**PUT ON RETIRED LIST**  
Washington, May 5.—Rear Admiral Robert M. Doyle, who has just been relieved of command of the Pacific reserve fleet, retired today from active service, having reached the statutory age of 62 years.

## GERMAN SUBMARINES SUNK NINE TRAWLERS

London, May 5.—Nine trawlers is the bag credited to German submarines on Monday of this week in a message received here from Hull. In addition to the Iolanthe the Hero and Northward Ho, the victims belonging to Hull include the Hector, Progress, Coquette and Bob White, while the Rugby and the Bridge, owned in Grimsby, met a similar fate.

So far as is known, no lives were lost in these encounters. According to the crews of the fishing vessels the submarine which wrought this damage is of the newest type. She has an iron cross painted on her conning tower. She ran amuck among the fishing fleet on Monday and sunk seven trawlers in quick succession. The crews were given time to escape but in some cases the small boats drifted for hours before they were picked up. Each man coming ashore is exhibiting a huge lump of black bread given him by the crew of the submarine which sent his boat down. The English sailors are preserving these pieces of bread as souvenirs.

## GRAND DUKE CLAIMS GROUND BEING HELD

London, May 5.—The Russians reports, confirming the recent fighting in Western Galicia are being accepted by British military critics as reducing the German claims of victory in this battle to more just proportions.

Following his custom, Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief in the field, has not hesitated to admit a reverse and confirm the German statement that his antagonists have succeeded in breaking across the Dnubies river. But the Grand Duke adds that he is holding them fast on the bank of this stream and he seems to intimate that he has little anxiety concerning the ultimate outcome of the fierce fighting which has been going on in this region for a week.

Observers in London are of the opinion that the fact that the Russians have not been diverted from the objective elsewhere, and that the battles in the Stry region

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## RUSSIAN ARMY BROKEN ALONG 24 MILE FRONT

Berlin (via London), May 5.—The southern wing of the Russian army in West Galicia has been broken along a front of 30 kilometers (24 miles), according to a dispatch received by the Tugelblat from a special correspondent.

"The attack was made with such determination," says the correspondent, "that the Russians were forced to abandon not only their first lines but also the villages back of the front, which served as quarters. Only in Gerlee did the Russians make a stand. This town was destroyed by an artillery bombardment and a big fire, but it remained in Russian hands."

All the staff officers of one Russian division were killed or wounded including several generals. The majority of prisoners were military caps but civilian clothing. They complained of being short of food.

## MAN SEEN OPPOSITE CARMAN HOME WINDOW

Mineola, N. Y., May 5.—District Attorney Smith lost no time today in placing on the stand the state's new witnesses in the second trial of Mrs. Florence Carman on the charge of slaying Mrs. Louise Bailey at Dr. Carman's office in Freeport, June 30 last.

Mrs. May I. Black, the first of these witnesses, testified that while sitting on her porch, just east of the Carman home she heard the sound of an explosion and falling glass. She walked soon afterwards with her daughter, Ruth, out on her lawn and stood opposite the window of Dr. Carman's office. She saw a man, one she could not identify she was certain—outside the house at the window. She did not see any one run from the grounds. The man went leisurely to the front of the house and out of her view.

## CHARGED WITH CRIME; WINS PLACE AT POLLS

Los Angeles, Calif., May 5.—Encouraged by what he considered was an overwhelming verdict given him by the people in the municipal primary yesterday, Charles E. Sebastian, first choice candidate for mayor, was ready to appear in court today to renege the stand in his own defense against the charge that he and Mrs. Lillian Pratt contributed to the dependency of Edith Serkin, Mrs. Pratt's half sister.

Sebastian was ill from the effects of his experience Monday night when two shots were fired at him through a window of his home, but he appeared to be fully recovered today.

## BRYAN'S BROTHER IS SOME RUNNER

Lincoln, Neb., May 5.—Charles W. Bryan, brother of Wm. J. Bryan, secretary of state, was yesterday elected one of the five commissioners of Lincoln, and will probably be the next mayor. With returns nearly complete he has a lead of 700 votes over Frank C. Zehrung, the present mayor.

## STEEL SPLINTER REMOVED FROM HEART; FRENCH SOLDIER HAS FULLY RECOVERED

Paris, May 5.—A young sergeant of the French army, from whose heart a splinter of steel grenade was extracted by Dr. Bousseaut, chief of military hospital, was presented before the Academy of Medicine last night by Prof. Armengaud, of Bordeaux.

The patient was wounded October 1 at St. Hubert, when the steel fragment of the grenade penetrated his diaphragm, pericardium and cardiac muscles, lodging within the right ventricle. The splinter remained in the ventricle four and a half months before it was extracted.

The operation was declared to have been unique in the annals of surgery. Considerable difficulty was experienced in removing the piece of steel as it slipped from the forceps several times. Various complications were feared but everything went well and the soldier now is considered cured as his heart acts normally.

## WAR CLOUDS GATHER IN ORIENT; SITUATION BECOMES CRITICAL

Peking, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boat destroyers have arrived at Chin Wang Tao, on the gulf of Liko Tung, about 150 miles east of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China the members of the Japanese legation.

Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese, or their concentration at the Japanese consulates.

There is a substantial opinion in Peking that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting upon the issuance of an ultimatum.

## WHITE HOUSE CHAUFFEUR FINED \$5 FOR SPEEDING WITH TUMULTY

Washington, May 5.—Secretary Tamm, who went to police court today to testify for a White House chauffeur, who, a traffic policeman testified, exceeded the speed limit while driving the secretary home from the executive office.

Mr. Tamm told the judge that the chauffeur, bearing the coat of arms of the United States was going as slow as possible, but never the less it cost the chauffeur five dollars.

## N. Y. CHILD MURDERER ADDS ANOTHER VICTIM

New York, May 5.—New York's child murderer, sought by scores of detectives for slaying five year old Leonore Cohen, gave warning by letter, it was reported, that he would find a new victim and within three days kept his word by murdering four year old Charlie Murray in a hallway near his home on First avenue last Monday night. This was the chief development today in the search for the slayer.

## WILHELM AT NORFOLK

Newport News, Va., May 5.—The German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm was towed to Norfolk navy yard Tuesday and interned there to await the close of the war.

## MEMORIAL FOR CANADIANS

London, May 5.—A memorial service for the Canadians who have fallen in the war will be held at St. Paul's Cathedral, May 10.

## Eight Day Rest For Postoffice Custodians

Washington, May 5.—Acting Secretary Newton of the treasury department, today notified officials in charge of the 896 federal buildings throughout the country that every member of the custodian staff must be laid off for eight days before July 1, because congress did not appropriate the full amount for the payrolls. More than 4,500 employees will be affected and orders to the supervisory officials make clear that no departure from it will be countenanced.

## TWO PLANES BROUGHT DOWN

Paris, May 5.—Two Turkish aeroplanes have been brought down by shells from allied warships, according to a dispatch from Saloniki. Setting out from Seddih Bahir the aeroplanes flew over the fleet, dropping several bombs, all of which, however, fell harmlessly in the water. The German aviators were rescued and made prisoners.

Nashville, Tenn., May 5.—Governor Rye today vetoed a bill abolishing the death penalty, expressing the belief that it would tend to increase mob violence.

**BILLY BUTT-IN**  
The Times Weather Man



I've been lookin' for an invitation to that dollar dinner but ain't got it and I 'get back' I'm gonna work up a dinner costin' at least and not more'n a dollar a plate and nint gonna invite nobody but them five weather men I set down at it. When folks find out what a brilliant affair my dinner is gonna be they'll be willin' to sacrifice a little finger. I come but they won't get th' chance—no sir they won't get th' chance. Here's th' weather:

Ohio—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Possibly frost to night in north and central portion.

Kentucky—Generally fair to night and Thursday.

West Virginia—Generally fair tonight and Thursday; frost to night in mountains.

# SEES MANY THINGS TO ADMIRE IN THE WEST BUT STILL STICKS TO OHIO

"We have much to learn from the enterprise of the West," said Roger Selby, in making some pointed comparisons upon his return from a month's sight-seeing trip which took him from Chicago via the Santa Fe and the Grand Canyon, to Los Angeles where many days were pleasantly spent in touring Southern California and visits to the Panama Exposition at San Francisco and San Diego, returning by way of Salt Lake City, the Royal Gorge, Colorado Springs, Denver and St. Louis.

"Take the public school system of Los Angeles, for instance. In addition to magnificent buildings, attention is given to such a small but important detail as the satisfactory provision for the recreation of the children. Each school you see has close by swings, basketball, and hand-ball courts and other apparatus which while inexpensive offer superior advantages over the slim-and-club-boy-barking gravel play-grounds common here.

## Slow Down To 25 Miles

"The roads of Southern California are all that is claimed for them. They are certainly used by the automobilists. Los Angeles is said to possess more automobiles than Chicago and the evidence would seem to prove the contention. The congested traffic district in Los Angeles is the largest and most congested of any city I know. The traffic cops are numerous and efficient. One must be most alert and skillful and

without timidity to successfully thread one's way through the dense traffic with an automobile. Likewise one must always move with speed lest a five-ton truck or a Ford jitney bus drive around you as there is much maneuvering for position and the old hands have few nerves and are in a hurry. There are few horses to be found in Los Angeles. An automobile driver in that city when he desires to change the direction of his travel, must signal same with his arm. This simple practice when adhered to makes possible and safe the surprising speed customary within the city limits. On the asphalt boulevards through the country one is amazed to see signs requesting the automobilist to slow down to 25 miles per hour, making the assumption evident that you will be going faster than that. As a matter of fact the straight stretches miles long of smooth roadway enable the automobilist to clip along at a normal uniform speed of from 25 to 30 miles per hour for long periods without the necessity of touching the throttle.

## Looks Into The Future

"The west looks into the future in the matter of city parks and makes forehanded preparation for the recreation of the people when the land can be had at a reasonable figure. We would do well to copy this spirit. We should by all means have public convenience stations under our caplanes and in our parks.

"Every little city in Southern California appears to have its own little Chamber of Commerce building prominently located

where the products and advantages of the locality are well displayed and where someone is on the job to furnish information to interested persons and to persons who can be interested to the benefit of the community.

"Colorado Springs has the widest streets I have seen. It claims all the health there is. It is stated that you can recognize a native son by the discoloration of his teeth, due to the effect of the drinking water which colors the teeth before the enamel has hardened and thus becomes permanent. Since this fact has been discovered I am told that the babies are fed lime water to counteract the effect.

## City Without Skyscrapers

"Denver has no skyscrapers. This is due to a city ordinance prohibiting the erection of any building more than a dozen stories in height. A more astonishing municipal regulation is one providing that no frame or wooden buildings may be erected. Thus Denver is a most substantially built city and doubtless the fire risk is consequently greatly reduced.

"Contrary to my expectations a brief glimpse at some of the scenic wonders of our great west has made me more than ever content with the scenery offerings of our own locality. To be sure we do not have the imposing snow capped peaks always in our door yard but better than that trees and other vegetation grow naturally here.

"On the whole I am glad to be back where the silver dollar is not the common medium of exchange."

## Grocers To Close

Retail grocers of Portsmouth will observe the first half holiday of the season Thursday, May 6. The stores will close at 12 o'clock and remain closed during the rest of the day. The half holiday season will extend to October 1.

## WANTED IN FRANKLIN CO.

A juvenile officer from the Franklin county juvenile court arrived at noon Wednesday to take into custody Arthur Best, one of the youths apprehended in this city on a hold tour by the police last Saturday evening. Young Best is wanted in the Franklin county juvenile court on a charge of petit larceny. The officer also accompanied Harley Harowitz back to Columbus, money for his transportation having been forwarded by his father.

## Merchants To Help

The Retail Merchants' Association, through Secretary M. A. Cox, Wednesday, tendered its co-operation of the mayor's efforts to obtain a more perfect observance of the Sunday closing laws.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter, 11

## Permit Cost \$100

Charles Ball, contractor, paid \$100 at the city building Wednesday for a permit to move the college he recently purchased at the new county bridge site.

## Bids Are Opened

Architects Rittner and Bules Wednesday opened bids for the construction of O. D. Foster's new home on the Hilltop. The bids are being canvassed.

## WILL ISSUE PROGRAM

As usual members of the Holy Redeemer graduating class will issue a splendid program at their commencement exercises on June 2. This year's program will be issued under the direction of Robert McNamara and Lawrence Born.

## Given A Divorce

Judge Thomas awarded a decree of divorce in common pleas court Wednesday afternoon to Hilda Ann Williams from her husband, John P. Williams. The latter is now a prisoner in the Ohio penitentiary, having been convicted in January, 1914, of incest in the local courts. The couple were married in 1895. Theodore K. Funk was the wife's attorney.

## Takes Old Job Back

Wesley Ridenour, Jr., has returned from Runaway, W. Va., and has taken his old job back in Architect Arthur Devore's office in the First National bank building.

## START ON C. & O. LINE

First ground was broken in the construction of the Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railroad line from Sciotoville to Columbus two miles north of the former place Tuesday morning by Contractor W. B.

Perkins, who started grading there. Mr. Perkins is working on a sub-contract from Reinhardt and Dennis, the contractors who have the general contract for the southern division of the proposed line.

Railroad officials stated Wednesday that work will be started on all of the contracts between Sciotoville and Waverly within the next two weeks and pushed to the earliest completion possible.

## Thousands Watched Laying Of New Elk Home Cornerstone

Karl Zoellner returned Wednesday at noon from Hamilton, where on Tuesday evening he attended the cornerstone laying of the new \$105,000 Elk's building. A special representative of the Grand Exalted Ruler, Raymond Benjamin, of San Francisco. Mr. Zoellner assumed full charge of the exercises, exemplifying the ritualistic work and superintending the placing of the corner stone containing the lodge records, copies of the daily newspapers and other articles of interest, which were placed inside the corner stone.

Over three thousand people braved the unfavorable weather and witnessed the ceremonies, which were held in the open air. A large temporary balcony was constructed in front of the building, upon which the exercises were held. The balcony was beautifully decorated and presented a gala appearance.

Harry Bonney, exalted ruler of the Lima Lodge of Elks for six years, and former president of the State Association of Elks' Lodges, delivered the address of the day, which was a gem. Mr. Zoellner stated this afternoon that the ceremony was one of the most beautiful and impressive he had ever witnessed.

Following the exercises the Hamilton lodge entertained with a public reception at the club rooms in the old residence of former Governor James Campbell, which hundreds attended. Visitors from all over the country were present.

The building, when completed, will represent an outlay of about \$105,000, and the interior furnishings will bring the total cost to over \$125,000. Hamilton lodge has a membership of about 730, and is regarded as one of the most progressive lodges in the Middle-West.

## The Movies

**Funny Man At Lyric**  
Charles Chaplin, the funniest man in the movies will appear in one of his best comedy films at the Lyric tonight. Also there will be additional films so Manager Mack will have a well balanced bill that should not be overlooked by lovers of "real" moving pictures. The Chaplin film alone will be worth the price of admission. Music at the Lyric is always good.

**Musical Comedy At The Exhibit**  
Musical comedy will be thrown on the screen at The Exhibit today, when Renfax's Musical Motion Pictures will be shown. The subjects are: "Goodbye Girls, I'm Through," and "The Little House Upon The Hill." These pictures are something new and should not be missed. In addition today's program will contain "The Boundary Line" a two reel feature with plenty of Indians in it. The admission is only 5 cents. There is always good music at this theatre, as Manager Law has engaged a special orchestra for every night in the week. Watch for Exhibit announcements, as they always contain something new. Tomorrow's program includes Mr. Silent Haskins in two reels, and "Hearts and Pennants," a Keystone comedy.

**At Temple Theatre**  
"Exploits of Elaine," what infernal cunning, what devilish brain, guided this gripping hand to the throat of its victim? What horrible workings of a disordered mind stepped at nothing to gain its own end? You'll be so excited you'll hang onto your seats like grim death, as scene after scene of mystery, crimes, adventure and tender romance, the marvelous unheard of fests of Craig Kennedy pass before you in the pictures on the screen. There is four smashing big reels and Jess Willard's heart punch in every scene. "Tricked" is a powerful two reel drama that is included in the program.

**At The Strand**  
"When The Forest Rode," a two part Rex drama featuring Pauline Bush in a characterization of a mountain wail, is the headliner at the Strand tonight. The third reel, a Victor, called "The Laugh That Died," is a comedy drama featuring Mary Fuller.

The fourth reel "The Doctor's Story," is a gripping Powers drama. The first installment of "The Black Box" Saturday night.

## JOKE AND COMRADE LAUNCHED

The Joke and The Comrade, which comprise Capt. Frank White's Hotilla, were launched in the Ohio river Tuesday, and Commodore Henry Eslyre says there is no longer any doubt but what the boating season has arrived.

## COMEDIANS ORGANIZE

The Temple Comedians, an East End baseball nine was reorganized Wednesday, Scott Mowery being named as manager in place of Reeg who is now captain. Manager Mowery has a list of new players as follows: Fortner, of Keyser, of Reeg 2b, Mowery p, Taylor, of Buckley 1b, Burris 2b, Dials c, Molster ss.

The comedians will play the Yankees at St. Strauss' park next Sunday afternoon.

## Will Not Have Row About The Idlewild

It is understood from reliable authority that the promoters of the Sciotoville incorporation movement will not insist upon the Idlewild Addition being included in the territory to be incorporated when the matter is up for hearing before the county commissioners. No objection will be offered to the annexation of Idlewild by New Boston, if the owners of the former desire it.

When the petition was prepared and the plat drawn, the promoters were not aware that such a move was contemplated.

Jackson Cropper, head of the company that is selling lots in Longmeadow Addition, stated on Wednesday that he and his associates would oppose the attempt to include Longmeadow in the incorporated village.

## Rarden Champs Some Swatters

Rarden, O., May 5.—The Champs enjoyed a swat-fest Sunday at the expense of three Otway pitchers, enabling them to win easily by the score of 19 to 0.

The visitors, on the other hand, were unable to connect with the southpaw slugs of "Babe" Weaver, he holding the enemy to three hits in the first seven innings, when he gave way to Ralph Ogde, who twirled the last two rounds in style. All but two of the visitors' runs were due to errors. Thompson, Odle, Wilcox and Merritt led at the bat for the Champs, each scoring three hits. A splendid crowd witnessed the contest. The score:

Rarden 4 4 1 1 7 1 0 1 x-19 17 8  
Otway 1 1 0 0 0 0 3 1-3 5 4  
Butterlee-Wolford, Smalley, Finn and Hazelbaker; Weaver, Odle and Merritt.

## Appeal Is Made To The Board Of Trade

The Board of Trade has been asked to confer with N. & W. officials relative to passenger trains Nos. 17 and 18, known as the Williamson trains, which do not carry mail between Kenova and Portsmouth. These trains carry mail from Williamson to Kenova it was stated Wednesday.

## LOCAL BOWLERS AT HUNTINGTON

Confident they would repeat the trick they turned when the Huntington Five rolled at the Play House alleys last week and were decisively beaten in a duck

pin tournament Ralph Mausfield's All Stars left this afternoon for Huntington, where they roll Carl Ridgely's quintet in the Majestic alleys. Those making the trip were: Ralph Mausfield, Robert McCorkle, George Wilhelm, Byron Prediger, Al Wurster and Leo York.

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The Cash Grocer

Miss Nell Turley will leave Thursday afternoon for New York to spend the month of May at the Sciotoville School, where Miss Jeanette Stivers, of Ripley and Miss Clara Louise Meyers, of Rochester, N. Y., are in school.

The Scioto Bridge Club meets tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Guy V. Williams.

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## TEMPLE TONIGHT

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## SOCIETY

A pretty wedding at high noon today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Brandle, of Fourth street, was that of Miss Barbara Bias, who has made her home at the Brandle home, and Mr. Hylle Lloyd, who has been employed at the Selby shoe factory. Rev. J. W. Dillon officiated in the presence of a dozen friends. The attendants were Mr. Harry Lloyd, brother of the groom, and Miss Nellie Bias, of Logan, W. Va., niece of the bride. The bride was attired in a beautiful white linen gown trimmed in lace, and carried a bouquet of bride roses. The maid was also attired in white and carried an armful of Killarney roses. The ceremony was followed by an elegant dinner. The table decorations were pink and white roses and carnations. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bias, of Logan, W. Va. Her brother, Mr. Preston Bias, and Miss Minnie Fry, both of Logan, W. Va., were present at the wedding. The happy couple left this afternoon for a ten days' wedding trip, after which they will go to Jackson to make their home, where the groom recently accepted a position.

hour. Mrs. Lucy Schleifer will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. Joseph Bihlman has as guest her sister, Mrs. William Sheels, of Huntington, who will also visit her other sister, Mrs. Jacob Pfau.

Mrs. Kate Henry, of Trenton, is spending a few days at the home of Miss Louise Dismore, on Franklin avenue.

Mrs. W. W. Hughes will be hostess at Friday evening's meeting of the Friday Evening Kensington Club.

Delegates from Biscow to the Portsmouth District convention to be held next Tuesday at Trinity church were Mrs. Emma Deere, Mesdames Cunningham, Davenport, Connell, Shump, Hansen and Merle Duhait, from the Home Missionary Society; Mrs. P. E. Selby and Miss Ida Mercer from the Y. P. M. S.; and Miss Violet Cunningham and Mrs. Henry Charlton from the Queen Esther Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burley, of Fairview, have as guest their sister, Miss Nell Hieley, of Carr, Ky.

Mrs. James McMahon and daughter, Miss Margaret McMahon, took their departure today for their new home in St. Louis, Mo.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist Street Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Jessie Jenkins, on Seventeenth street, Thursday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Harry Tatum and daughter, Miss Louisa, of Front street, left Tuesday for Rushtown to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holliday, of Morehead, Ky., are guests of their daughter, Mrs. E. D. Bliving, of 1114 1-2 Madison street.

Miss Goldie Johnson, who was the guest of Mrs. J. N. Shively, of Front street, for three weeks, returned home to Ruena Vista Monday.

Mrs. O. T. Trisler and two daughters, May and Emma, of Mount Pleasant, are guests of Mrs. Clarence Engelbrecht, of Front street.

Mrs. Anna Evans, of Second street, left Tuesday for Cincinnati on an extended visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riffe, of Russell, Ky., returned home Monday after a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Bressler, of Front street.

The Westminster Circle of the Second Presbyterian church, will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Angelina Revure, 1611 Fifth street.

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## THE STRAND TONIGHT

"Where The Forest Rode," Rex. 2 reels with Pauline Bush. "The Laugh That Died," Victor comedy drama. "The Doctor's Story," Powers comedy.

## Elgin Watches

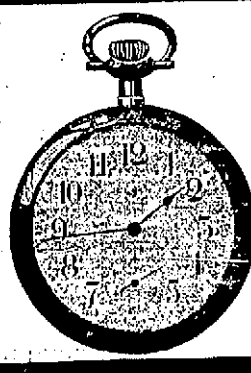
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# WM. KIRSCH FINED FOR ANNOYING LITTLE GIRLS

William Kirsch was fined \$20 in police court Wednesday for annoying little girls.

The charge against Kirsch grew out of complaints that he had acted indiscreetly towards some little girls of whom he had purchased a paper, later following them to the flood wall and again to Albert Corra's fruit store. He and the foreigner got into a heated argument, Kirsch accusing him of trying to harbor the children, while Corra felt he was protesting them against Kirsch, who admitted he had been drinking. While Kirsch earnestly maintained he had intended no wrong the court felt convinced that he had put the two children Gertrude Rott, aged 6 years, and Blanche Nichols, aged 8, into a state of fear by his actions.

George A. Gates, a well dressed and aged stranger, who fell by the wayside while trying to take a gaze at the moonlit waters of the Ohio river, drew a fine of \$5 for intoxication.

John Beasley, a negro, who was arrested for alleged acting indecently before some little girls on the Chillicothe pike, was dismissed for want of proper identification. Ben Goodman, charged with assaulting Jeff Gilliam, was also dismissed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harlow appeared at headquarters to prefer charges against her husband W. H. Harlow for alleged assaulting her, got to berating Officer John Smith for giving information against her and became so demonstrative that she was taken to task by Police Clerk Dennis Coriell. This so angered her that she refused to sign the affidavit and left the room. Harlow, who was present, declared his intention of bringing suit for divorce. The couple lives in the Hilltop district.

Complaint was lodged against Emma Jackson, colored, of Fifteenth street that she is in a habit of making war-like demonstrations against her neighbors. M. Jacobs accompanied the complainants and said he had tried long since to force her out of his property but was unsuccessful as she promptly paid her rent.

**Walls Stolen**  
The police are investigating the theft of a half dozen pounds of nails from the new building on Eighth street near Broadway to be occupied by Salsoukepers Martin Hollar and John Cropper. The River City Lumber company lodged the complaint.

**In Eastern Kentucky**  
John Grummell will return in a few days from a trip through Eastern Kentucky in the interest of the McNally and Grummell liquor house.

**Caught Big Gar**  
Clarence Thornton caught a 6 1/2 pound gar several days ago. He caught it in the Ohio near Beattyville, Ky. The gar was one of the largest seen in the city.

A fine little son was born Tuesday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, of Gay street. Mr. Walker is a shoemaker.

**Fixing Motor Boat**  
Charles Higgins, a well known East Portsmouth citizen, is busy rigging up a motor boat for the coming season.

**To Chicago**  
Claude Evans, former Inter State employee, left Tuesday for Chicago to take a job in a shoe factory.

**Saw Big Fire**  
Howard Argo, of the Pure Drug Company, was a visitor in Jronton Monday, viewing the ruins of the big fire.

**In Indianapolis**  
Judge A. Z. Blair went to Indianapolis, Wednesday, on a legal errand.

## Senior Class Play Next Week; Tickets Are Now On Sale

The Senior Play will be given in the High School Auditorium on next Thursday and Friday evenings, May 13 and 14 at 8 o'clock. The play, "As You Like It", has been in rehearsal for four weeks and the seniors fully expect to duplicate the financial and artistic success of last year's Senior play, "The Midsummer Night's Dream." While the two plays are very different, "As You Like It" is no less attractive and is better known perhaps by the general public. The music for the occasion will be furnished by a trio Misses Lollie Anderson and Alice Blake, and Mrs. A. L. Wilhelm.

The following is the cast of characters:  
Usurping Duke... William Dupre  
Banished Duke... Robert Herr  
Aucien, a Courtier... Margaret Quinn  
Jacques, a Courtier... Vaughn Finney  
De Benu, a Courtier... Walter Swickert  
Oliver and Orlando, sons of Sir Rowland de Bois... John Blum and Fred Gordon  
Adam, old servant... Hayward Anderson

Charles, the Wrestler... Alfred Sprecher  
William, a Clown... Elton Schmidt  
Touchstone, a Jeweler... Paul Webb  
Sylvius, a Shepherd... Adelaide Blake  
Corin, a Shepherd... Earl Himes  
Rosalind, daughter to the Banished Duke... Alta Marsh  
Celia, daughter to the Usurping Duke... Anna Tracy  
Phebe, a Shepherdess... Edith West  
Audrey, a Country Girl... Ruth Klingman  
Court Ladies—Genevieve Dupre, Margaret Anderson, Hazel Garvin, Mary Brodt, Ella Thatcher, Audrey Nourse and Katherine Traylor.

Foresters—John Simon, Alfred Yapple, Edmund Krieger, Paul Gable, Teasnor Smith and Forest May.  
Pages—Chlotilde Garrison and Bessie Mick.  
Tickets, 25c. Reserved Seats 10c extra. Flat opens next Wednesday at 2 o'clock at Brandon's book store.

**WITH THE SICK**  
Mrs. Jack Mershon, who was operated upon at the hospital, was moved home from Hempstead Monday to Madison street much improved.

Charles Lombard, chef at the Georgian restaurant, Arlington hotel building, is convalescing after an illness with grip and rheumatism.

Sigmund Burkhardt's crushed thumb is slowly healing, but he is not yet ready to resume his duties as engineer at the city pumping station.

Mrs. John Swearingin, 112 Second street, who was taken ill several weeks ago, is still bedfast with little or no change in her condition.

John Adams, who has been ill with pneumonia, at his home on Fourth street, is much improved.

Mrs. Howard Woods, of Third street, who has been so ill for three weeks, with a general breakdown, is slowly improving.

Miss Sarah Madden, of Court street, who recently underwent a surgical operation at Hempstead Hospital, is reported to have taken a turn for the worse.

Mrs. Wesley Stenshorn, who has been in poor health for many weeks, is steadily improving.

Mrs. M. C. Colegrove, of Washington street, is much improved after a two weeks' suffering with nervous trouble.

Mrs. Clay Mershon, of Pond Creek, who has been seriously ill with diphtheria for three weeks, is slowly improving.

Earl, little son of Mrs. Ida Youngman, of Eleventh street, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is recovering.

The condition of Jacob Messer, mayor of Oak Hill, who has been seriously ill for some weeks past, is reported unchanged.

## DEATH DUE TO DISEASE

Coroner J. W. Daehler announced his verdict this morning in the case of Sarah E. Fields, the aged woman of Blue Run, who died suddenly Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Shonkewiler, of 1640 Robinson avenue. His verdict was that her death was due to an attack of chronic Bright's disease.

## Judgment By Default

Judgment by default in the sum of \$446.97 was awarded Attorney W. R. Spague from the Portsmouth Chemical company and others in common pleas court Wednesday morning by Judge Thomas.

## Recovers Judgment

The Ironton Roofing and Corrugating company recovered judgment in common pleas court Wednesday morning for \$393.39 from H. D. Bahner, the defendant failing to appear.

**Wonderful Snow Figures.**  
The delicacy and beauty of snow figures have no parallel in the product of man or insect. The most beautiful of them, wondrous as they are, of the strange insect called the spider bear so comparison with snow crystals. The rarest of gossamer laces, stretched by left fingers that have inherited the art throughout generations, have no such delicate figures, though they have found inspiration in leaf and verdure and flower of rarest structure.

**On a Polished Table.**  
To prevent scratching of a polished table, attach with glue tiny pieces of white felt to the bottoms of dishes that are to be placed thereon. Common baking soda sprinkled over a grease spot on the floor will remove the spot if boiling water is poured over it.

**ALSPAUGH**  
has the best Kitchen Cabinets. adv 11f

**RESOLUTION OF RESPECT**  
Empire Grange No. 1228 Patrons of Husbandry:  
Franklin Furnace, O., May 3, 1915.

Whereas, It has pleased the Divine Father to call to the life everlasting our Sister Nellie Spears.

Resolved, That while we recognize the wisdom of that all wise Providence "that doeth all things well" and while we sorrow at the loss of a Sister, yet we are cheered by the thought that what is our loss is her great gain.

Resolved, That we extend to Brother Spears and family our sincere sympathy in their great affliction and commend them to the protection and care of the great Parent who heals all our sorrows.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Grange, a copy be printed in the county paper, and a copy be furnished the bereaved family of our deceased Sister.

MRS. J. D. WILKES,  
DANIEL OAKES. adv 11.

## Unclaimed Mail

The following unclaimed mail matter is reported in the Portsmouth postoffice:

Gentlemen—J. O. Anderson, Wash. Baker, William Barney, John Barnett, Samuel Ryle, W. F. Gray, R. P. Hawley, Mike Hayman, Rev. Eugene Hellmar, A. M. McGuire, W. J. Phillips, C. Ray, P. Reche, M. Tennyson, Grant Warner, Bill Wild, Feck Wilson.

Ladies—Miss Laura Carter, Mrs. Jack Denver, Lizzie Foster, Mrs. Luisa James, Mrs. Charity Williams.

Miscellaneous—Bender Woodward Co., Empire Stove and Furniture Co., Portsmouth Miller Co., Samuel Callahan Co.

VALERIE HAROLD, P. M.

## MEMORIAL DAY PLANS

Members of the Spanish-American War Veterans are urged to attend the regular meeting Thursday evening, at which arrangements will be perfected for Memorial Day. The proposed plan of having a big patriotic meeting prior to Decoration Day, in which the local patriotic societies will take part, will also be discussed.

## THE "WEIGH---T" KILLED IT

George Law, proprietor of the Exhibit theater, was approached by a farmer who wanted to sell him a chicken, Tuesday. Mr. Law at first refused to be interested, but he and the farmer finally adjourned to the John Schaefer grocery on Third street to weigh the fowl. No sooner was it placed on the scales than the chicken died. It was hard to distinguish which was the worse beaten Mr. Law or the farmer, although the theater man had not yet paid for it.

## Jitney Smashup

James Henderson, a driver of a jitney bus, ran his car into the curb at Ninth and Chillicothe streets Wednesday morning and tore off the left front wheel. Mr. Henderson says the clutch of the machine refused to work. He had three passengers in the car, but they were uninjured as the car did not overturn.

## Children Love It—Don't Deny Them

Dentists affirm its helpfulness to teeth and gums. Doctors attest its aid to appetite and digestion.

Give the kiddies all they want. Use it yourself—regularly. Keep it always on hand.

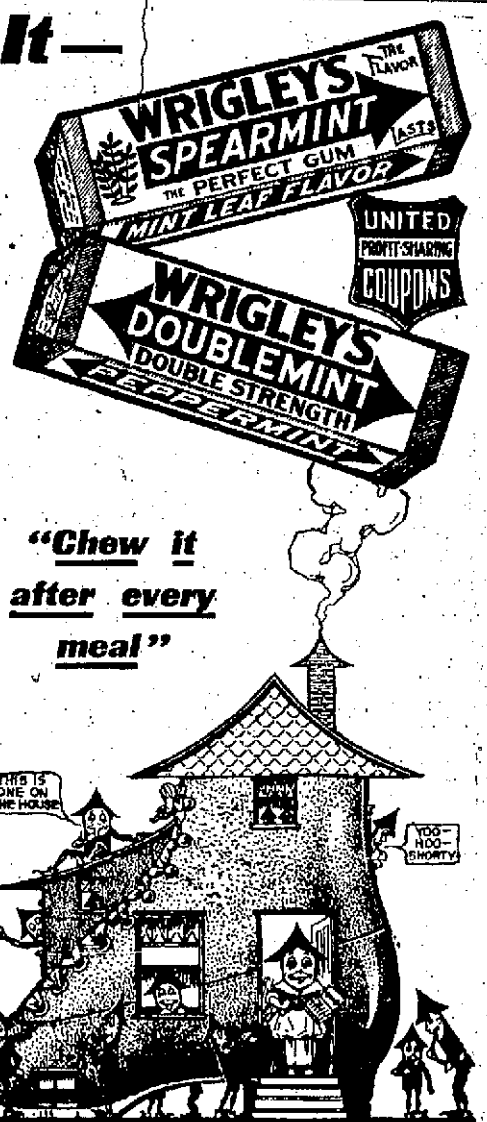
Cultivate the saving instinct with the **United Profit-Sharing Coupons** around each package, good toward high-grade merchandise.

Have you seen "Wrigley's Mother Goose"—newest jingle book—28 pages in colors?

(Here is a sample verse and illustration)  
There was an old Spear-woman lived in a shoe—  
For her many young hopefuls she knew what to do!  
She made them most happy with WRIGLEY'S for all—  
It kept them in trim at a cost very small!

The "Wrigley Spearmen" want you to see all their quaint antics in this book, free! Write for it today to

WM. WRIGLEY JR. CO.,  
1207 Kesner Bldg., Chicago 607



"Chew it after every meal"

## RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio, May 5, 1915.  
(75th Meridian Times.)

Station	Time	Temp	Wind	Clouds	Bar	Humid	Dir	Spec	Ref
Franklin	15	2.0 R	0.2	00					
Greensboro	18	7.9 F	-0.4	00					
Pittsburgh	22	6.6 R	-0.0	06					
Wheeling	36	8.0 F	-0.2	00					
Zanesville	25	8.2 F	0	12					
Parkersburg	36	7.5 R	0	06					
Charleston	30	6.4 F	-0.1	00					
Pr Pleasant	39	8.0 F	-0.2	04					
Catlettsburg	50	12.0 F	-1.0	00					
Portsmouth	50	13.4 F	-0.2	08					
Cincinnati	50	15.0 F	-0.2	04					

**FORECAST**  
Partly cloudy over upper Ohio valley tonight and Thursday. River will not change much.

H. C. DONNALLEY,  
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 13.4 ft. and slowly falling here Wednesday morning. Thursday's packet departures: Str. Greendale down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m. Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m. Str. Greyhound up for Huntington at 3 p. m. Str. Courier for Pomeroy at 3 p. m.

**Returns To Ciney.**  
Frank Brown has returned to Cincinnati after spending a few days with local friends. He was formerly employed by the White-Inter-Glessner Co.

**Ask my customers about my work, Bralmer, the Painter.** 11f

**In New Home**  
Mrs. George McNeul of Front street, moved Tuesday to the Denning property on Second street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Licht is an enlisted member of the Do It Now Club. She is having her home on Third street painted.

John Bergen, of Fourth street, has joined the Do It Now Club by painting his house.

John Swearingin is still busy improving the interior of his grocery near Second and Soloto streets. He has enlarged the room and is now having it re-papered.

Robert Janetsky has joined the Do It Now Club. He is having his houses at 830 and 832 Fourth street repainted.

A new tin roof is being placed on the former H. Frank Thompson home on Eighth and Findlay streets.

John Russell, a Chillicothe street merchant, has joined the Do It Now club. He is having a new roof placed on the H. Frank Thompson property at Eighth and Findlay streets, which he recently purchased.

Mrs. Mary Findlay, of Market

## Walks In Sleep; Falls Down Stairs; Suffers Broken Arm

John Carley, aged 28 years, a teamster employed with John P. Flannigan, met with a bad accident while walking around in his sleep at the family home, No. 732 Ninth street, shortly after midnight Tuesday.

Mr. Carley had started to the bath room which is at the head of the stairway, and in the dark made a mis-step, falling down the flight of stairs clear to the bottom

where he was found in a heap and unconscious by his wife and others of the household. Hurry calls were sent in for physicians but nearly all were found to have gone to the medical meeting in Cincinnati. Dr. G. W. Martin finally responded and it was 2 o'clock before he was revived. It was found his left arm was fractured. He was otherwise suffering greatly from the shock of the fall.

Club. She is having her home treated to a coat of paint.

John Grummell has joined the Do-It-Now Club. He is treating his home on Second street to a coat of paint.

**Moving Into Bungalow**  
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lowry moved Tuesday from Fifth street to their new bungalow at Sixteenth and Offshore streets.

**Bank Fires Raged**  
Fanned by a high wind bank fires raged all afternoon Tuesday in the vicinity of the Kaps brick yard at Tenth and Court streets but did no damage.

**Fell From Ladder.**  
Mrs. Addie Anderson of Fifth street, suffered painful bruises in a fall from a step ladder Tuesday while engaged in spring housecleaning work.

When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil, 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1834 Summit St. O. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 21f

**Complain of Junk**  
Complaint was made to the police Wednesday about a lot of junk being piled upon the J. I. Marsh lot on Ninth street.

**Second Plea**  
Mrs. Sallie Collins has, just made her second plea in two weeks for her release from the Cincinnati work house.

**Bought a Ford**  
Will Tatman, of McDermott, purchased a Ford touring car from L. Taylor, of Rarden, Monday. The car was formerly owned by W. M. Banks, of Freestone, O.

**Yes—Many People**  
have told us the same story—distress after eating, gases, heartburn, A. Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c. Wurster Bros.

**Frank Flowers, of 1518 Fourth street, is having his property repainted.**

Work on the addition to the German Evangelical church is progressing rapidly. Workmen started putting on the roof Wednesday morning.

John Swander is having his home at Fourth and Market streets treated to a new coat of paint.

Norman Miller is building a veranda to his residence on Sixth street, which will add greatly to its appearance.

L. P. Haldeman is having a cement sidewalk put down in front of the property he owns on Gallia street, near Murray.

Miss Anna Goodman is a member of the Do-It-Now Club. She is having her property on Front street treated to a coat of paint.

Mrs. Gustav Blum, of Madison street, has joined the Do-It-Now

## SPRING PATTERNS HAVE ARRIVED

Smart, Select and Serviceable  
**THREE LITTLE TAILORS**  
GALLIA SQUARE

**MICA AXLE GREASE**  
Keeps the Spindle and the Hub Apart  
The Mica fills the pores and irregularities on the spindle, and combined with the highest grade grease stock makes a smooth slippery surface. Prevents friction and makes easy pulling.  
The Mica Makes It Better  
Look for the blue can with the "Wheel" on the cover. Sold in 1 and 3 lb. tins, 10, 15, 25 lb. galvanized iron pails.  
**Eureka Harness Oil**  
Feeds the leather. Makes harness look better and last longer.  
Sold Everywhere  
**THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY (OHIO)**

**Golden Sun Coffee**  
IS THE IDEAL BREAKFAST BEVERAGE  
It puts you in trim for the day and there is one of the five blends that  
JUST STRIKES YOUR PALATE  
ASK YOUR GROCER

Musical Comedy  
On The ScreenEXHIBIT  
To-Night

5c

Renfax Musical  
Pictures"Good Bye Girls I'm Through"  
and "The Little House Upon The Hill"The Boundary Line  
2 reel feature with plenty of IndiansLOOKS LIKE PEACE  
IN BASEBALL WORLD

Chicago, May 5.—A special to the Chicago Daily News from a staff correspondent at Baltimore, says, on purported Federal league authority, that peace in the baseball world is about to be brought about on the following terms:

The Federal league to enter the National agreement as a full-fledged major organization participating in world's championship series; Wingo, Austin, Caldwell, Peritt, and other players who jumped to the Federals and then back to organized ball again (excepting Walter Johnson) are to go to the Federals.

No player is to be punished for attempting jumping.

The story says that the deal is to be perfected at once and quotes an anonymous informant as stating that Judge Landis is prepared to withhold his decision in the baseball cases, until June 1, to allow time for formal signatures to the agreement which according to the story is to go into effect next season.

Charles Weeghman, owner of the Chicago Federals, talking over the telephone from West Baden, said this afternoon:

"There will be peace alright. Whether the agreement will call for three major leagues, or absorption of the Federals, I don't know—others are carrying on the negotiations, but whatever the plan is I am ready."

POLICE BELIEVE ARREST  
WILL CLEAR UP MYSTERY;  
CHIEF PREVENTS ESCAPE

The police believe that with the arrest Wednesday afternoon of Bill Owens and Joe Moore, two North End negroes, they will clear up the systematic stealing of meats from George Jacobs' place on Eleventh street.

Moore shortly after his arrest made a sensational attempt to escape. The various officials were hastily engaged, and unnoted he slipped out of the room. Chief McCarty caught a glimpse of the fleeing form of the man disappearing around the corner of the patrol barn. Without stopping to pick up his hat he gave chase, almost tearing down a side door in his haste to get out. His threats to shoot the negro had the effect of causing him to halt.

The two men, it is claimed, were seen totting a ham and a 25 pound can of lard up the alley from the Jacobs meat market. Police later found the ham at the Underwood boarding house on Twelfth street. The lard was located at the Roberts boarding house on Eleventh street. A shoulder and some bacon were recovered at Belle Powell's home in Paradise alley.

Investment  
Authorized

William J. Meyer, administrator of the estate of the late Sarah E. Conkley, deceased, was authorized in probate court Wednesday to invest \$600 of the estate in the Citizens Savings and Loan company of this city, the income to be paid to Frank D. Gregg during his lifetime.

Garden Hose that won't kink. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malone of Nauvoo on the West Side, are the proud parents of a baby girl, the stork left at their home, Tuesday.

The stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Englebrecht, of Front street, Tuesday and left a fine ten pound son. The new arrival makes three sons in the family. The proud father is a shoemaker.

Allen H. Conklin, an employee at the Mass & Oakes garage, is the proud father of a baby daughter born at his home, 2217 Seventh street a few days ago.

In Jackson  
L. H. Austin, a well known bartender, went to Jackson Wednesday to learn what disposition had been made of his application for a saloon license.

At Hot Springs  
J. O. Clendennen, assistant road foreman of engines, with headquarters in this city, is sojourning at Hot Springs, Ark.

Work on the new Garfield school building is progressing very rapidly. A force of nineteen bricklayers are on the job and the brick work has reached the second floor.

Water Meter Rates  
Are Fixed By Board

The public service department Wednesday took action in the matter of fixing water meter rates for manufacturers who expect to install meters in their plants.

Following is a table of the rates decided upon:

**Water Rates**

All rates are subject to 10 per cent discount if paid before 30 days from the date of the bill to consumers in Portsmouth and New Boston. Meters will be read monthly and the following meter rates will be for the water used in one month:

For the first 10,000 gallons, 15 cents per thousand.

For the next 40,000 gallons 12 cents per thousand.

For the next 150,000 gallons, 9 cents per thousand.

For the next 100,000 gallons 7 cents per thousand.

For the next 100,000 gallons 5 cents per thousand.

For all over 400,000 gallons 4 cents per thousand.

This will make a total net payment of \$12.22 for the first 500,000 gallons per month and \$30.22 for the first million gallons per month.

WM. GERGENS,  
Director of Public Service.

## SOUTH WEBSTER

Mrs. David Kurn was calling on her son, Geo. Kurn and family, of Buck, Lick, Sunday.

Frank Herman was a caller at Jackson Saturday, where he was getting some dental work done.

W. A. Lansing was moving his furniture to his home near Glades, where he expects to go to house-keeping soon.

George Kurn was doing carpenter work for W. A. Lansing last week.

Vern Toland, of Glades, has developed a case of sorelet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shoemaker and son, Clarence, and Roscoe Zornes, of Portsmouth, motored out to J. K. Jenkins' Sunday.

J. E. Dixon and family were calling on J. R. Jenkins and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fout were calling on George Goodbrook and family Sunday.

People of this community were surprised to hear of the sudden death of Lincoln Dever, of Jackson, Thursday.

Miss Maud Shear, of Glades, is assisting Mrs. Pratt, of Cove, with house cleaning.

Sampson Shear and family were calling on Sampson Shoemaker Sunday.

The farmers are busy getting their ground ready for corn planting, as there will be a large acreage planted this year.

Frank Flaker and July friend were taking in the sights of Jackson Saturday.

## SAINTSVILLE

A large crowd attended church at this place Sunday.

Albert Altman and J. A. Christwell are getting along fine with their work at West McCulloch.

James Hill and James Crabtree were visitors at the east end of Frog Jack, Sunday.

Donald Altman was calling on friends at Pleasant Hill Sunday night.

Wm. Crabtree was seen at Sedan Monday.

Ollie Altman and Annie Crabtree were visiting the sick people at Crabtree Hill Saturday.

Winnie Graham is staying with her sister, Mrs. Mary Crabtree.

Ollie Altman passed through Bear Hollow Monday, enroute to Bear Creek.

The old-fashioned joking party

given by Elbert Bond was well attended.

## SEDAN

The Sedan ball team played the Bear Creek team Sunday afternoon, the score standing 19 to 5 in favor of Sedan.

The N. Y. P. U. met at the Sedan Baptist church Sunday evening. A large attendance was present.

The Sedan school taught by R. B. McChesney, closed Tuesday.

Winnie Hill was calling on friends on Crabtree Hill Tuesday.

Jason Crabtree is very ill with the grip and infirmities of old age.

Merle Mercer is working for Herbert Cox.

The Sedan Loafers' Club met at Johnson's store Tuesday evening, with the usual attendance.

Grandma Mercer is improving from a severe case of the grip.

James Altman was a visitor at Crabtree Hill, Monday.

The farmers in this vicinity are busy preparing to plant corn. Some corn has already been planted.

The Sunday schools at Sedan were both well attended Sunday.

## WHEELER'S MILL

Lincoln Dever, of Jackson town, a victim of rheumatism, was laid to rest Sunday at McCoy cemetery.

Quite a number of wheel riders from Swanger Valley, were calling on F. McClintick Sunday morning.

Walter McClintick for the past few days has been cutting railroad timber for Haze Correll.

Mrs. Ella Perry and family, of New Boston, are out in the country on a visit.

John Martin and William McClintick were calling on home folks Sunday.

Frank McClintick and wife were calling on Milton Oberley and wife Sunday afternoon.

Going to be some fine houses go up on the Mansfield property, as it used to be called down at Sunshine for the benefit of the C. & O. railroad.

Quite a number of the people of this vicinity are done cleaning house already.

Fred Brisker bought a fine gray team of horses of Henry Smith valued at \$100.

Walter Correll put a fine load of lumber to the H. Leet Co. Monday.

MAYBE IT WAS  
RAINING

A man giving the name of Henry Jenkins, and his place of residence in Portsmouth was arrested in Cincinnati, Tuesday. The charge was stealing a raincoat from his roommate.

## Left On Trip

Kinney Funk left Wednesday on a business trip to Cincinnati and Detroit. Mr. Funk has been employed in the front branch of the Excelsior Shoe company. It has been idle since February 16.

HEAD OF ASIATIC  
FLEET TO RETIRE

Admiral Walter C. Cowles.

Admiral Walter C. Cowles, the present commander of the Asiatic fleet of the U. S. navy, is to retire in July and Secretary Daniels is now considering the appointment of his successor. The appointment is made more desirable by the fact that while the fleet cruises the commander in chief has the rank of admiral at a salary of \$12,000 a year.

## GOOSE CREEK

Miss Rose Frischie entertained quite a number of friends last Saturday evening at the home of her parents on Lick Run. Games and social chat were diversions of the evening and a most enjoyable time was passed by all. At a late hour daily refreshments were served to the large group present and all hope to meet soon at a like enjoyable occasion.

Mr. Nicholas Reinhardt and family motored out from the city last Sunday and spent the day delightfully at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smalley, near Powellville.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nahn have returned home to New Boston after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Dold and family.

After a several days' visit with her cousin, Miss Rose Frischie, Miss Emma Hubbard has returned to the Presses.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner, of Portsmouth, and Miss Nell Turner, of Lick Run, were among a number of relatives who spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schneider and family near the burg.

Mr. Jacob Werner, of Portsmouth, was in this territory the fore part of the week looking after business interests and calling on friends.

Mr. William McCurdy is at home after a two weeks' business and pleasure trip at Seattle, Wash.

Miss Mayne Frischie, who is teaching at Pond Run, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks near here.

At the conclusion of a pleasant visit to Sugar Camp acquaintances, Mr. and Mrs. William Frischie have gone to their home, No. 1331 Park avenue, Portsmouth.

Mr. Philip Schneider, of the East End, was mingling with friends at Powellville, his former home, over last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rose, Sr., and family, of Scottdale, were at Powellville, Sunday, mingling with friends and attending the Reformation sermon at the Powellville High school delivered by Rev. J. W. Dunning, of Portsmouth.

Leo Riepenhoff and sister, Miss Mary, spent a day recently with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Riepenhoff, on Elizabeth street, New Boston.

## HAVERHILL

Mr. and Mrs. William Brush were business visitors in Ironton on Friday.

Mrs. Frank Boynton and son, Joe, were in Ironton on Friday.

Miss Lillian Trumbo and Mrs. Charles Austin, of Union Landing, were in Ironton Friday on a business trip.

Mr. Wm. Crocker, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins, went to this old home in Kentucky Saturday to visit relatives.

The Green Township High school will hold its commencement Wednesday evening at the Franklin Furnace church.

Alley Houses Are Scored By  
Inspectors; 15 Raze Orders

Fifteen more orders to raze property followed the inspection trip of Deputy Fire Marshals T. R. Bell and T. D. Hamilton in the West End Wednesday morning. The state officials, along with Fire Chief McQuat, inspected the territory between Third and Sixth streets from Washington street to the Scioto river.

Messrs. Bell and Hamilton stated Wednesday afternoon that the greatest trouble they find is in the condition of the alley houses and barns, which are in many instances, fire-traps, and extremely unsanitary. They say that enough attention is not given to the conditions of the alleys, people throwing waste and rubbish in them and leaving it there to become a stench and a breeder of disease. They complain that property owners themselves do not manifest sufficient interest in their properties. Another complaint is about mixing paper and garbage together, which creates a fire hazard after it is deposited on a dump.

The inspectors were working in the north-western part of the city this afternoon, and hope to finish all territory west of Chillicothe street by this evening. They expect to conclude their entire work by Friday.

Back From  
Florida

Contractor Albert Brooks and wife of 1731 Waller street, have returned from a three weeks' trip to Florida.

For Spur  
Track

The Mount Vernon Bridge Co. has begun work in earnest on the new spur track that is to be built out to the piers for handling the iron work for the new county bridge.

Judge Beatty  
Investigating

Judge Beatty is investigating the case of Lowdy Bonney, a young man living near Leesville, who left home a few days ago for alleged ill treatment by his father. His arrest was caused by his father Tuesday evening, but he was released Wednesday morning and permitted to return to his brother's home while the court investigated his complaint.

Ordinance  
Filed

A copy of the ordinance passed by the New Boston council last Monday evening, annexing Idlewild Addition to the village, was filed with the county commissioners Wednesday afternoon by L. C. Purley, one of the owners of Idlewild, with a request that it be approved by the board. No action has been taken by the board.

Boy Is  
Arrested

Glenn Stevens, a Gay street boy, was arrested by Officer Roy Moore for train riding Tuesday and was turned over to the juvenile court. He had boarded a B. & O. S.-W. passenger train at Tenth and Chillicothe streets.

Garden Hose that won't kink. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Duffy's Pure  
Malt Whiskey

for Health and Strength

## LABORERS ARRIVE

The Washington hotel the past few days ago has been fairly overrun with material salesmen who have come to see contractors on the C. & O. N. work.

Each contractor will also have

his own commissary and this explains the activity of the salesmen. A big detachment of Hungarian laborers also arrived Wednesday to work on the railroad job.

Ben Dabney Returns,  
Hauled Into Court

Ben Dabney, the local colored youth who left the city about a year ago after he had been accused of committing some petty thieving at the Washington hotel, was

apprehended by the police upon his return to this city Tuesday, at the request of Judge Beatty, who sentenced him to the Lancaster Industrial School. He will be taken there tomorrow.

## PETITION AMENDED

An amended petition in the personal injury damage case of Chas. Ginoellio, of Cincinnati, administrator of the estate of Francesco Bonvino, deceased, against the B. & O. Nave Brothers company of this city, was filed in common pleas court Wednesday. The amended petition makes more definite and certain the allegations of the original petition.

Bonvino was killed in Indiana on February 5, 1913, while in the employ of the Nave company, it is claimed, and the administrator is seeking to hold the company responsible for his death. The attorneys are Payton, Warrington and Seasongood, of Cincinnati and Milner, Miller and Seal of this city.

## Still Going Rounds

After holding the "Buy At Home" dollar for over a day, Elmer Ottino, a local chauffeur, spent it at the Star office for a subscription Wednesday afternoon. An employee of the Star spent it at Schaefer's confectionery across the street, where it still remained at press time.

Pike Converted Into  
Speedway Is Claimed

Many complaints are being made by residents along Gallia pike, from Young street east to the Turnbills, about the high rate of speed of automobiles which seem to be making the place for a regular "speedway".

The south side of Gallia pike is paved and pedestrians are forced to use the street as no sidewalks are on either side of the street.

One resident claims a man in a jitney car was going at least twenty miles an hour early Tuesday evening when the machine passed him.

Garden Hose that won't kink. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Parole Officer  
Gets Youth

J. W. Weaver, a parole officer from the Boys' Industrial School at Lancaster, arrived in the city Wednesday to apprehend Everett McGinnis, a local youth who has been on parole from that institution.

The lad was recently detected in the act of stealing a bicycle, it is claimed. He was taken to Lancaster this afternoon.

May Get  
Room

Parties from Huntington were in the city Wednesday looking for a room to open a restaurant. It is understood that they are negotiating for a Chillicothe street room.

Sawing  
Timber

Sherman Hannabus, who formerly looked after the timber interests of the Peoples company, has just returned from Tug River, W. Va., where for the past four years he has been busy sawing 4,000,000 feet of timber. He expects to locate in this vicinity again.

Sister Will  
Graduate

Albert Edgington, a Washington hotel barber expects to go to West Union Thursday to attend the High School commencement there. His sister, Miss Myrtle Edgington is one of the graduates.

of Mrs. Kate Loft's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school during her residence in Portsmouth, and during her long illness the members of the class kept her cheered up with flowers and pretty post-cards, which they sent to her home in Wisconsin. The body passed through Portsmouth last evening on the way to Virginia, where the burial will take place. Miss Mary Moore, a sister, is teaching in Atlanta, Ga. Another sister, Miss Goldie Moore, died of tuberculosis while the family lived in Portsmouth.

**Mrs. Cornwell Funeral**  
The funeral of Mrs. Anna Cornwell, who died at the Home for Aged Women Tuesday, will be held Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, from the home, with Rev. J. W. Dunning, of the First Presbyterian church, in charge of the last rites. Interment will be made in the family lot in Greenlawn.

The deceased was a member of the First Presbyterian church for a number of years. A niece, Mrs. Josie Arlis, of Rock Crip, Lawrence county, arrived Wednesday to be present at the funeral.

**John McMahon Funeral**  
The funeral of the late John Thomas McMahon was held at the Holy Redeemer church at 8:30 o'clock this morning. Rev. Father McGuirk officiating. Father McGuirk and Mr. McMahon were lifelong friends, having been companions on numerous fishing excursions, and the pastor's references to his many virtues, his devotion to his church and to his family, brought comfort and solace to his family and friends.

The funeral was one of the largest held in the church for several years, and testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held by his wide circle of friends. The entire machine shop at the N. & W. terminals was closed down out of respect to his memory, and more than fifty union machinists attended the services. Mr. McMahon was a member of Machinists' Union, Loyal Order of Moose, the Modern Woodmen of America, and the Knights of Columbus, and each order was well represented at the funeral services.

Among the out of town relatives present were a brother, W. C. McMahon, of Cincinnati, two sisters, Sarah and Mary of Columbus, and several members of the Cloran family from Ironton. Many beautiful floral designs were sent to the house by sorrowing friends.

Besides the widow, he is survived by four children, Mrs. Al Bridwell, who is spending the summer in St. Louis with her husband, a member of the St. Louis Federal League club, Mrs. C. H. Chase, of Seventh street, this city, John A. McMahon and Virginia McMahon, who live at home, and several grandchildren. Mrs. Bridwell left for St. Louis this afternoon, having been called home by her father's death. The pall bearers were two representatives each from the Machinists' Union, the Moose and the Knights of Columbus.

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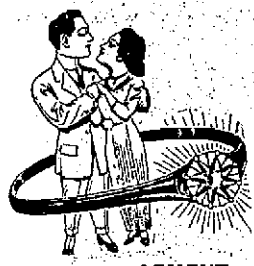
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**MASONIC NOTICE**  
Aurora Lodge, No. 48, F. & A. M., will meet Thursday evening, May 6, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree.

### WANTED

**NOTICE**—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams Phone 1415.

**NOTICE**—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Heiniger, 1815 6th, Phone 1267.

**WANTED**—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revue & Klingman, Home phone 490.

**WANTED**—Ladies canvassers. City work. Address Box 543. Phone 1025-B.

**NOTICE**—On and after this date, May 5, 1915, I will not be responsible for acts or debts contracted by my wife, Elizabeth Harlow. W. H. Harlow, 1617 High St.

**WANTED**—Medium size refrigerator. 916 12th.

**WANTED**—Grass cutting and window washing to do. John Roy, 207 Chillicothe. Phone Y 820.

**WANTED**—6 or 7 room house with all conveniences, centrally located within next thirty days, good references can be given. Phone 1512 N.

**WANTED**—Girl for kitchen, 703 Pindley St.

**NOTICE**—Mr. O. B. Butler is requested to communicate with 105 East 15th St., Marion, Ind.

**WANTED**—Girl or woman to assist with housework. Phone 1157 Y or 918 Waller.

**WANTED**—Watches and clocks to repair. If we can't fix it no body can. Try us and convince yourself. Phone 516 A. Work guaranteed, called for and delivered. Frank D. White, watchmaker.

**NOTICE**—Good board and room in private family 723 3rd. 271f

**WANTED**—Union painter. Apply Old Cent Wall Paper Store, 512 2nd St.

**WANTED**—Good girl for general housework. References required. Mrs. Homer Selby, 1641 Grant St.

**WANTED**—10,000 women to use Victor Washing Compound and save time, labor, wear and tear. All grocers. Murphy Braden & Co.

**WANTED**—At once woman of experience in family of two; good wages, 521 Market. 31f

**WANTED**—First class carpenter wants work by contract. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address J. B. Marshall, 815 10th St.

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**WANTED**—Plain sewing at 926 Washington St. Phone 1691 A.

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**WANTED**—Boarders, 1730 12th modern conveniences, Phone 1620 Y.

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**WANTED**—An experienced white cook with reference, family of five, no housework or laundry, wages \$7.00 per week. Address Mrs. Waterhouse, 1250 E. Broad St., Columbus, O.

**AGENTS WANTED**—\$15 week salary and commission paid one person each town selling non-alcoholic flavorings. Linton Co., Kansas City, Mo. 3-52wed

**WANTED**—Situation by young man 21 years old; references; wholesale grocery preferred. R. Musson, 638 John St., Phone 1728 B.

**WANTED**—Carpet weaving to do. Call 545 Front St.

**WANTED**—Position as housekeeper. Phone 1494 B.

**WANTED**—Nursing to do. Phone 1494 B.

**WANTED**—Two girls for general housework. 1129 11th St.

**WANTED**—Girl that can give reference, 1162 10th.

**FOR SALE**—Small supply of stereotypic mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office.

**FOR SALE**—Motorcycle, 7 h. p. Indian, 629 Front.

**FOR SALE**—Houses and lots in Fullerton, Ky. P. J. Winkler, Fullerton, Ky.

**FOR SALE**—Small gas range, 9x12 cup. 643 6th.

**FOR SALE**—Fine driving mare, harness and Columbus surrey. 789 Grimes Ave. Phone 519 B.

**FOR SALE**—6 room house, 1319 Union and 4 room house in rear, street assessment paid, renting for \$21 a month. \$2300.

**FOR SALE**—5 room house 1413 Spring St., renting for \$15 a month, owner lives in the west and wants to sell all of her property in Portsmouth. \$2250.

**FOR SALE**—P. W. Kileys, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone 1408 A.

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**FOR SALE**—8 room house, 236 Rhodes avenue, New Boston, facing Millbrook Park at north entrance, cement walks, gas, water, cellar, property in good condition. Call Miller Dry Goods Co., or Phone 244 A or 1115 Y.

**FOR SALE**—Horse and buggy. 1728 Offene St.

**FOR SALE**—Fresh Jersey cow. J. D. Bahner, Sciotoville, Ohio. Phone A 27. Sciotoville exchange.

**FOR SALE**—6 room two story residence on Center St., reception hall, complete bath, pantry, cellar, street assessment paid. Price reduced while vacant. Phone 629 B. 1619 Grandview.

**FOR SALE**—Team matched bay mares, black points, no white, 5 and 6, half sisters, weight 2, 800. Will trade for good auto. See Fred Winters, 127 Market.

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**FOR SALE**—4 room cottage, bath, Summit, \$2350.

**FOR SALE**—8 room house Grandview Ave. \$3500.

**FOR SALE**—5 room cottage, Mound \$2500.

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**FOR SALE**—6 room house, bath, cabinet mantel, storm sheeted, paper lined, street assessment paid. 17th, \$2350.

**FOR SALE**—34 ft. lot, 4 room house on rear, 6th, \$2000.

**FOR SALE**—6 room house corner lot, hardwood floors, storm sheeted, reception hall, open stairway, nice front and back porch, \$3750.

**FOR SALE**—5 room cottage, hardwood floors, storm sheeted, cabinet mantel, large floored attic, street assessment paid, Grandview ave. \$3500.

**FOR SALE**—New 12 room double house, New Boston, would take lot or small payment down, balance easy payments, \$3600.

**FOR SALE**—5 room cottage, near Lincoln on 12th, \$2450.

**FOR SALE**—8 room house, bath, 6 room house, rear of lot, 12th near Offene, \$3300.

**FOR SALE**—6 room house Dexter Ave., easy payments, \$1000, nice building lots in city. \$350 up.

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**FOR SALE**—Ford touring car, last season's model, in good condition. Inquire 1818 Gallia.

**FOR SALE**—11 1/4 acres, suitable for fruit and poultry, 3 miles from city, near Buena Vista pike. See 1651 8th.

**FOR RENT**—Rooms at 3043 Gallia. Terminals.

**FOR SALE**—Six room house, Center St., complete bath, cabinet mantel, sliding doors, cement porch, steps, walk, cellar large back porch, street assessment paid, \$3400.

**FOR SALE**—Two 4 room cottages, 11th St., lot 35x120, pantry, cistern, cellar, gas, water inside. Each \$2350.

**FOR SALE**—7 room house, Vinton and Center, lot 40x120, modern improvements, two story barn, cement floor for machine, stall for horse, splendid cistern, cellar, \$4,000.

**FOR SALE**—7 room house, Center street, cabinet mantels, sliding doors, bath, splendid cement porch, large pantry, back porch, cellar, street assessment paid, \$3000.

**FOR SALE**—5 room cottage, 12th St.; lot 30x133, water, inside, gas, cistern, pantry. \$2350.

**FOR SALE**—8 room house, Mound St., bath, hardwood floors, reception hall, lot 34 ft. Wired. Basement full size of house, newly papered and varnished. \$3400.

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**FOR RENT**—Store room, 823 Gallia. Inquire at Lehman's Store.

**FOR RENT**—4 room house in rear of 713 9th. Phone 937 B.

**FOR RENT**—2 rooms and stable at 435 2nd St.

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**FOR RENT**—Furnished room for light housekeeping, modern. 1412 11th St.

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**FOR RENT**—2 room flat, furnished for housekeeping, range and water in kitchen. 311 Offene.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room with all conveniences, 851 4th, corner 4th and Gay.

**FOR RENT**—Two unfurnished rooms, cheap, 1803 Jackson, near Campbell.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping 1115 Gallia.

**FOR RENT**—2 or 3 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 424 Sinton.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished, rooms with or without board 725 8th. Phone 1764.

**FOR RENT**—Five room house at 833 6th St. near post office. \$15.00 per month.

**FOR RENT**—Nice front bedroom, 1010 Gallia.

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**FOR RENT**—Cottage at Terminals, Phone 1367 B.

**FOR RENT**—Front rooms with board, all conveniences, desirable location, 530 4th, near Court.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room. 914 8th.

**FOR RENT**—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping with water and gas. 930 Gallia. 23tf

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room with bath, 823 Chillicothe St.

**LOST**—Fox terrier pup with black spot on right eye. Notify Staker's meat market.

**LOST**—Gray Spaulding sweater coat on River Road between temporary bridge and infirmary. Phone 630 or 1123 Pindley.

**LOST**—On Gallia pike between Portsmouth and New Boston, 2 ten dollar bills. Phone Columbus Theatre. Reward.

**LOST**—Small cameo lavallier 923 7th. Phone 1167 B. Reward.

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## The Markets

### NEW YORK STOCK

New York, May 5.—Fears of a conflict between China and Japan caused uneasiness in local financial circles today and induced general liquidation, with many severe losses.

Moderate trading marked the early dealings, the undercurrent showing irregular tendencies.

There were gains of one to two points in war specialties, notably Westinghouse, Pressed Steel Car, American Locomotive and Crucible Steel, but some of the standard issues, including Reading, Canadian Pacific and Southern Pacific were fractionally lower. Later the list developed strength. U. S. Steel, Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper rising a point each, with gains of as much in the motor group. London prices for Americans showed little change, except in Canadian Pacific and Reading, which recorded heaviness.

The early rise was not long maintained, pressure soon reducing most gains and causing a number of stocks to sell not only under yesterday's close, but below minimum prices of the session. Westinghouse, the most active feature of the first hour, lost all its rise, but Bethlehem Steel, which had been ignored in the initial movement, rose nine points on reports that it had received additional war contracts. Contrarily, United States Steel, receded on denial that the company had been awarded large foreign rail orders. Reading showed little recuperative power, yielding on light offerings. Bonds were irregular.

Prices crumbled in the final hour, advices from the Orient retelling in heavy selling. The close was weak.

### CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper, 72 1/2. American Beet Sugar, 45. American Can, 39 1/4. American Car & Foundry, 53 1/2. American Cotton Oil, 50 1/4. American Smelting and Refining, 69 1/2. American Sugar Refining, 109 1/2. American Telephone and Telegraph, 121 1/2. Anaconda Mining Co., 34 1/2. Atchafalaya, 100 1/2. Baltimore & Ohio, 74 1/2. Bethlehem Steel, 140. Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 89 1/2. California Petroleum, 18 1/2. Canadian Pacific, 153 1/2. Central Leather, 36. Chesapeake & Ohio, 45. China Copper, 45 1/2. Chicago & North Western, 128. Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, 93 1/2. Denver & Rio Grande, 7 1/2. Erie, 27. General Electric, 154. Goodrich Co., 48 1/2. Great Northern, 119. Illinois Central, 103 1/2. Inland Empire, 21. Inter. Harvester, 96 1/2. Lehigh Valley, 141. Louisville & Nashville, 120. Maxwell Motor Co., 1st pf., 54 1/2. Mexican Petroleum, 77. Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 13. Missouri Pacific, 14 1/2. National Lead, 64. New York Central, 87 1/2. N. Y. N. H. & Hartford, 65 1/2. Norfolk & Western, 104 1/2. Northern Pacific, 107 1/2. Pennsylvania, 108. Ray Consolidated, 23. Reading, 146 1/2. Republic Iron & Steel, 29 1/2. Southern Pacific, 90. Southern Railway, 17 1/2. Standard Oil, 72 1/2. Texas Co., 131. Tennessee Copper, 33. Union Pacific, 127 1/2. United States Rubber, 67 1/2. United States Steel, 56 1/2. United States Steel, pf., 108 1/2. Utah Copper, 66. Western Union, 67 1/2. Westinghouse Electric, 98 1/2. G. R. I. & Pac., 21 1/2.

### CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, May 5.—Barrish crop reports quickly overcame today in the wheat market here an advance due to firmness of quotations at Liverpool. A leading export house here had issued a statement estimating the domestic winter wheat yield as likely to be as much as 675,000,000 bushels.

The volume of trade was rather small and the tone nervous. After opening 1/4 off to 3/4 up, the market scored moderate gains all around and then fell back to about last night's level.

Cash demand was only fair. The opening which varied from a shade off to 1/2 advance was followed by slight general upturns and then a reaction.

Trade in oats was mainly local. Price changes were unimportant. Strength in the hog market was reflected by provisions. What selling there was mostly from holders taking profits.

Figures indicating that this year the winter wheat territory in the United States would be 4,500,000 acres larger harvest than in 1914 gave the market a further setback. The close was steady but 1 to 1 1/2 net lower.

Better weather in Argentina counted somewhat against the bulls in corn. The close was steady at 1/2 to 3/4 net decline.

**OPENING PRICES**  
Wheat: May, \$1.62 1/4; July, \$1.35 1/2 to \$1.35 3/4; Sept., \$1.25 to \$1.24 1/2.  
Corn: May, 77 1/2; July, 80 1/2 to 80 3/4; Sept., 81 to 80 3/4.  
Oats: May, 55 1/2 to 55; July, 53 1/2 to 54 1/4; Sept., 47 1/2 to 47 3/4.

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Wheat: May, \$1.61; July, \$1.34 1/2; Sept., \$1.24 1/2.  
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Oats: May, 54 1/2; July, 54 1/2; Sept., 47 1/2.

**PROVISIONS CLOSE**  
Pork: Jan., \$18.25; Sept., \$18.70.  
Lard: July, \$10.32; Sept., \$10.57.  
Ribs: July, \$10.75; Sept., \$11.02.

**TOLEDO GRAIN**  
Toledo, May 5.—Wheat—Cash and May \$1.60; July \$1.34.  
Corn—Cash 78 1/2; May 77 1/2; July 81 1/2.  
Oats—Cash 57 1/2; May 50 1/2; July 56.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.19.  
Cloverseed—Prime cash \$7.00; October \$6.30.  
Alfalfa—Prime cash \$8.15.  
Timothy—Prime cash \$3.10; September \$3.30.

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS**  
**CHICAGO**  
Chicago, May 5.—Hogs—Receipts 25,000, strong; bulk \$7.40 @ \$7.60; light \$7.30 @ \$7.70; mixed \$7.35 @ \$7.65; heavy \$7.00 @ \$7.35; rough \$7.00 @ \$7.15; pigs \$5.25 @ \$5.50.

Cattle—Receipts 14,000, firm; native beef steers \$6.35 @ \$8.75; western steers \$5.70 @ \$7.50; cows and heifers \$4.90 @ \$8.50; calves \$4.25 @ \$9.00.

Sheep—Receipts 10,000, steady. Sheep \$7.10 @ \$8.40; lambs \$

# BICYCLE RACES MAY BE HELD IN THE CITY ON DECORATION DAY

Local bicycle dealers and repair men are planning to hold a big bicycle endurance contest on Decoration Day.

A committee called on the mayor Wednesday morning to secure permission to hold the events which are intended to revive interest in the sport and at the same time stimulate trade. He had no objection and in fact promised to have police clear the streets for the purpose if duly advised as to the hours for holding the races.

The course selected which is from the post office, east on Gallia street to Officers street, north to Kinney Lane, thence around the Ohio Boulevard to Chillicothe pike and south to the city and post office, was measured Wednesday morning and found to be exactly five miles.

It is planned to have one contest for boys ranging in age from 10 to 15 years and a two lap or 10 mile race for boys from 16 years up. Ten or more prizes will be offered for each contest. The prizes will be large.

The race will be free to all who might wish to enter and applications should be filed with Francis Knapp, of No. 1543 Twelfth street.

Those behind the movement are Roynton Davenport, local agent for the Indian motorcycle; Homer Brunton, of the Excelsior; Harry McNeer, of the Harley-Davidson; Emil Arthur, of the Maytag; Francis Knapp of the Flying Merkle, R. S. Pritchard and Alex Glockner.

It is also hoped to hold a series of motorcycle races later in the summer or when the roads are in suitable condition. Bicycle races were very popular in Portsmouth years ago and many recall with great pleasure the notable performances of Oscar Trimmer, Stanley Pritchard and other old time bicycle riders.

## TO REMOVE TUMOR

Mrs. W. E. Smith, wife of a well known Oakland avenue plasterer, has gone to Cleveland to undergo a surgical operation for the removal of a tumor from her face.

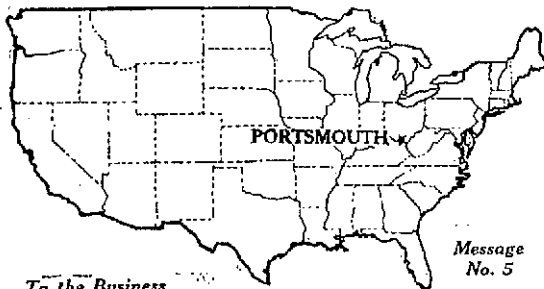
## Clerks Meet

The Retail Clerks' Union No. 1190 at their meeting Tuesday night laid plans for a social session, which will be held on Tuesday, May 18.

W. F. Meyers, recording secretary, was elected and installed as the corresponding secretary, succeeding Frank Jones, who recently located in Erie, Pa., after being employed for sometime by the Criterion Clothing company.

## Mr. Sellards Is Better

William Sellards, real estate dealer, who has taken seriously ill with kidney trouble last Sunday, is considerably improved, but is not yet able to sit up.



To the Business  
Men of Portsmouth

The prosperity of a city is in direct proportion to the local pride. Where local pride runs high, prosperity has a firm foothold. Such a town is a good place to live and do business in.

Paint helps to a remarkable degree in spreading an impression of prosperity throughout a community. It gives a fresh, new, inviting look wherever it is used. Municipal buildings, stores and homes feel its good effects. Growing business is bound to be one of the direct results of a liberal use of paint, not from any magic in the paint, but because of the pride which is stimulated.

## Anchor White Lead

(Dutch Boy Painter Trade Mark)

mixed with pure linseed oil is the paint of quality and always has been. Lasting and economical. Get in touch with us today. We carry all painting requisites.

The Hibbs Hardware Co.

## WORKING ON DETAILS OF CHURCH MERGER

Details of a proposed merger between the Hutchins Street Baptist church and the Kendall Avenue Baptist church were thoroughly discussed Tuesday night when committees of these two churches held a meeting at the Hutchins Street Baptist church, the latter church being represented by N. W. Kent, Harmon Veneer and A. H. Dadds. The committee from the Kendall Avenue church was composed of Mrs. Bertha Wheeler, John Spence and Charles Russell.

No definite action was taken and another meeting has been called for. Later on the proposition to merge these two churches, which have a combined membership of about 400, will be put up to each congregation. It was stated Wednesday that there were a lot of details to work out before a merger could be effected and that the committees would act slowly in the matter.

## NEW OIL CO. COMING

It was learned Wednesday that the Central Ohio Oil Company is planning to open an office in Portsmouth and establish their Southern Ohio distributing point in the River City. The firm is well known in Central Ohio and is said to be cutting quite a figure in the oil and refining business carried on in the Buckeye State.

## HARTWIG TO BE LAWYER

Lefty Hartwig is coaching a baseball team up in Michigan and is reading law by way of diversion. Hartwig has decided to become a lawyer and when he is not looking after the collegians placed in his care he is looking up Blackstone's butting average in the legal league. Hartwig's home is in Monroe, Mich.

## Diving Contest

Are you a good diver? Well, if you are you will have a chance to demonstrate this to the public next week as diving contests will be held at the Sun theatre, where the famous Diving Nymphs will hold forth. Boys will take part in the contests each night except Wednesday when girls will be given their opportunity. Prizes are to be given the winners and some fancy diving can be looked for.

## Arcana Will Open Thursday, May 6

J. F. Potts, proprietor of the Arcana theatre, was, all smiles Wednesday, when he announced with a great deal of satisfaction as well as pride, that his pretty little play house, which has been closed for several days while undergoing extensive repairs, would be open to the patrons on tomorrow, Thursday, afternoon. In order to fittingly celebrate the reopening of this popular theatre, Manager Potts has arranged a grand program for his patrons. He has for the headliner that wonderful interesting feature, "The Master Key" and in addition will put on a two reel drama and a one reel comedy, making in all five big reels and all for the admission price of 5 cents.

In its new dress, the Arcana presents a beautiful appearance indeed. It has been practically rebuilt and is the equal in appearance and convenience of many of the theatres in larger cities. Mr. Potts has expended upwards of \$1500.00 in remodeling his play house. A new incline concrete floor has been installed, a new screen added, new seats installed and a new machine now placed in operation. Mr. Potts believes in doing nothing by halves and is much pleased with the Arcana, which is one of the best paying picture houses in the state. New paint has given the interior a most restful appearance and in order to accommodate larger crowds Mr. Potts has placed an additional number of seats, all bolted to the concrete floor. From any point of the theatre one has a clear vision of the screen and all in all the patrons will be much pleased with the arrangements. No doubt the crowds tomorrow will tax the capacity of the new Arcana.

## Complain Of Boys

Complaint was made to the police Wednesday about boys breaking some windows of homes at Twelfth and Findlay streets during a fight Tuesday night.

## Fr. McGuirk At Wellston

Rev. Father J. E. McGuirk left Wednesday afternoon for Wellston to assist in the Devotion of the Forty Hours at St. Peter's and Paul's church. Rev. Father T. A. Goshel held mass at the Catholic church in Pond Creek Wednesday morning.

## Hit By An Awning

An awning at the Salvage store got beyond control of a clerk engaged in raising it Tuesday evening and it fell with great force, breaking a sidewalk show case and striking Manager Harry Denton a hard blow on the shoulder, painfully bruising him.

## WHEN RUN-DOWN

Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Reliable Tonic Medicine, Builds Up

The reason why you feel so tired all the time at this season is that your blood is impure and impoverished. It lacks vitality. It is not the rich blood that gives life to the whole body, perfect digestion and enables all the organs to perform their functions as they should.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla from any druggist. It will make you feel better, look better, eat and sleep better. It is the old reliable tried and true all-the-year-round tonic and appetizer. It revitalizes the blood, and is especially useful in building up the debilitated and run-down.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is helping thousands at this time of year. Let it help you. Get a bottle today and begin taking it at once. Be sure to get Hood's. Nothing else acts like it.

## MR. PURDUM MOVES

Attorney J. P. Purdum moved Wednesday from the Elk building where he had been located for so many years to a suite of rooms in the Masonic Temple.

## Viewed Ruins

R. E. Scott, local passenger agent of the N. & W., has returned from Ironton, where he inspected the ruins of the Masonic Temple fire. He says it was not as bad as first thought, but was bad enough, the Masonic home being completely wiped out. According to Mr. Scott Ironton Masons are already planning the erection of a larger and more modern home.

Interesting Coffee Facts  
Did you know that there are only five distinct tastes in coffee? You will find a blend to suit exactly each one of these five tastes, if you will ask for Golden Sun Coffee. All good grocers have them, packed in air-tight, all metal cans.

## Candidate Elected

At the meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah held Tuesday night Ben C. Bratt was elected to membership. Several candidates are to be taken in at next week's meeting.

## Appropriated Fair Money.

Before adjournment Tuesday, the county commissioners appropriated \$4500 for the use of the directors of the Scioto County Agricultural Society, to be used in any manner they see fit for the betterment of the county fair. That is the amount that the commissioners have appropriated each year for the past few years.

## Stokely Will Move

Officer Joe Stokely is preparing to move from his present locality on Third near Bond street to the Wall property near Third and Union streets.

## New Jitney

Still they come. H. A. Bierley sold his automobile to Charlie Monte Tuesday and he has already converted it into a jitney.

## Back to McDermott

Mrs. Rosa Payne, who has been living in Portsmouth has moved back to her former home in McDermott.

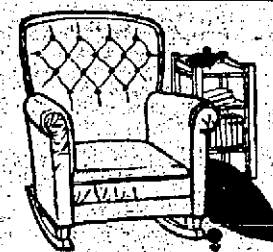
## APPETITE FOLLOWS GOOD DIGESTION

Nearly everyone indulges their appetite and the digestive organs are abused, resulting in a congestion of poisonous waste that clogs the bowels and causes much misery and distress.

The most effective remedy to correct this condition is the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This is a natural, pleasant-tasting remedy, gentle yet positive in action, and quickly relieves indigestion, constipation, sick headache, belching, etc. Drug stores sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, and in thousands of homes it is the indispensable family remedy. For a free trial bottle write Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

# Receivers' Sale!

Into cash this stock must be turned. When fortune knocks at your door do not turn her away.

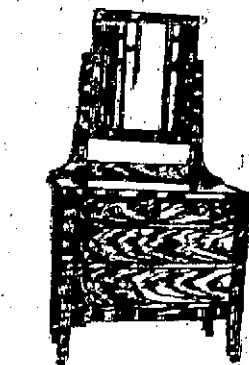
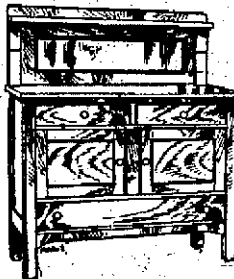


\$14.00

Genuine Spanish Leather Rocker. We have always held price at \$28. But in this sale shall let them go at \$14.

\$8.95

For Buffet (Like Cut) 25 other patterns at factory prices



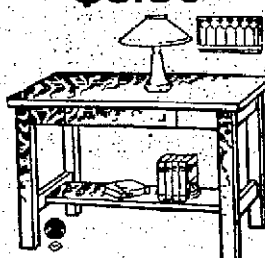
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Genuine Mahogany Dresser 75 patterns in all kinds of styles and woods

Library Table greatest bargain ever offered in Portsmouth.

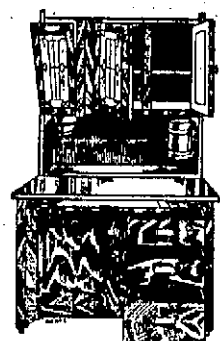
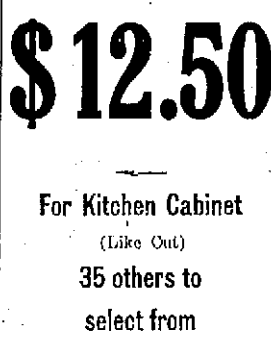
\$5.50

If you are in the market for something exceptionally fine come and see our assortment.



\$36.00

For Refrigerator All steel, Any color enamel



\$12.50 For Kitchen Cabinet (Like Cut) 35 others to select from

## East End Furniture Co.

Eleventh and Lawson J. P. PURDUM and H. F. THOMPSON, Receivers East End

## Woman's Home Missionary Society Meets Next Tuesday

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth District Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held next Tuesday, May 11, at the Trinity M. E. church. Meetings will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening. Lunch will be served to the delegates.

The program for the meeting is as follows:  
Morning Session 9 O'clock  
Devotions—Mrs. W. T. Gilliland.  
Welcome—Mrs. William McCurdy.  
Response—Mrs. E. L. Todd.  
Solo—Mrs. John Davis.  
Roll call and selecting of delegates.

Appointment of committees.  
Reports of: Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Cornelia Treuthart; Treasurer, Mrs. James Williams; Auxiliaries, Ironton 3, Portsmouth 3, Jackson 1, Sedgwick 1, Young People's Society—Mrs. Terry Davenport.  
Talk—Miss Dunlap.  
Afternoon Session 2 O'clock  
Devotions—Mrs. J. M. Graham.  
Minutes of Morning Session—Miss Pearl Crawford.

Mite Box Secretary—Mrs. T. C. Davis.  
Evangelism—Mrs. Laura Klee.  
Solo—Mrs. C. Lloyd Streeker.  
Election of Officers.  
Memorial.  
Systematic Benevolence—Mrs. W. M. McCurdy.  
Literature—Mrs. John Cook.  
Temperance—Mrs. W. E. Skelton.  
Quartet—Queen Esther Girls.  
Children's Work—Miss Lillian Davis.  
Talk—Miss Dunlap.  
Miscellaneous Business.  
Evening Session 7:30 O'clock  
Music—Choir Anthem.  
Devotions—Rev. C. Lloyd Streeker.  
Solo—Mrs. Norma Hark Young.  
Address—Miss Dunlap.

The officers of the society are: Mrs. Bertha L. Sellards, president; Mrs. E. F. Rideout, first vice president; Mrs. Irene Daily, second vice president; Mrs. Alfred Hughes, third vice president; Mrs. Cornelia Treuthart, corresponding secretary; Miss Pearl Crawford, recording secretary; Mrs. James Williams, treasurer.

## Using Crutches

Harry Talman, street car motor-man of 325 Front street, who met with a very painful accident Friday, is able to be about his home with the aid of crutches. He sprained his right ankle in getting off his car.

## Mr. Kurtz Is Named

Samuel Kurtz has been appointed by Director Joseph Lake, of the public safety department, as one of the substitute firemen for the summer vacation period.

August Arnold, of Eighth street, has practically recovered from a month's illness.

## LITTLE GIRL AIDS CLEAN-UP WORK

To show that even children are taking an active interest in the clean-up campaign is evident from the following letter:

May 3, 1915, Portsmouth, O.  
Dear Sir:—I am writing to you as I am interested in trying to keep the city in a clean condition. I am a little girl thirteen years old and I live on Jackson street. The reason I am writing to you is that there is an alley between Third and Jackson streets, and there is one family that lives on the corner that has hogs, and they let the water run out in the alley and it gets sour and it turns green, and there is never a garbage man through it, and people have to take it away themselves. This may be put in the paper. Yours truly, ANGELINE BOYCE.

The attention of the service department has been called to the complaint.

James Roberts, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at his home on Seventeenth street, has taken a change for the better.

## LADIES! SECRET TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

Bring back color, gloss and thickness with Grandmother's Recipe of Sage and Sulphur.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and lustrant; remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, is though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 60 cents a large bottle, which is known as "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of fuss.

## Clogged-Up Liver Causes Headache

It's a foolish proceeding to suffer from constipation, indigestion, nervousness, dizziness, headache and kindred ailments when CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will and all misery in a few hours. Purely vegetable. Act gently on liver and bowels.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. THE GENUINE name bear signature.

Wm. Wood

## B. & O. RAILROAD PLANNING TO OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day will be fittingly observed next Sunday by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad and its employees, in accordance with the annual custom of this company of urging this prettiest of all tributes from the men in its service as well as encouraging it on part of the traveling public.

In an official communication bringing the matter to the attention of the employees, the men in official positions, those who operate trains, toll in the shops, guard the tracks at night and work in other grades of employment have been reminded of the beauty of the sentiment and it is urged that each of the 60,000 men on the payroll of the company pay this tribute to his mother or to her memory by wearing a carnation, the emblematic flower of the day.

Passengers on trains of the Baltimore and Ohio next Sunday will be afforded an opportunity to participate in the plan of honoring mothers, instructions having been issued that a supply of carnations be carried on all dining cars operated over the 5,000 miles of line. A boutonniere will be given to each patron of the cars with the compliments of the road. White carnations will be given to those whose mothers have passed away, while those who have not experienced this sorrow will be given a red flower.

## In New Residence

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley moved Tuesday from Nuvnon to Jefferson and Front streets where they are nicely located. After this week they will be glad to receive their friends.



# THE NEW ARCA THEATER

Will be open to its hundreds of patrons  
**Thursday Afternoon**  
May 6 at 2 P. M.  
With a grand program

Tenth Episode Of  
**"The Master Key"**  
Two Reel Drama  
One Reel Comedy

**Five  
Big  
Reels**

Everything Spic and  
Span  
New Equipment  
Throughout

Always  
**5c**

## Brass Is Recovered; Jim Arthurs Arrested

Some valuable brass pieces from the N. & W. pumping station at Clifford, which was wrecked by thieves a few days ago, were located at the Isaac Quesser junk shop by the police Tuesday afternoon, and Jim Arthurs was locked up, charged with the theft.

The case against Arthurs was worked up by Officer Callahan Smith after detectives had practically given up hopes of locating the man who had disposed of the brass under an assumed name. Arthurs was arrested at his home in the North End. He denied the stealing, claiming the brass had been given to him by some other parties.

One brass cock found in the collection is worth \$40, while the aggregate value of the entire lot is said to be \$150. It is thought that more than one party was implicated in the wrecking of the pumping station.

Arthurs has served two terms in

the Ohio penitentiary. He was sent up from Ironton for stealing chickens and from Portsmouth for stealing tobacco from an N. & W. car.

Officer Smith and Detective Reno were examined Wednesday and their testimony showed that Arthurs had been seen going through the city with a sack on his shoulder. Smith kept watch on him, and after following him to the Quesser shop found that he had disposed of brass and other articles that later in the day were reported stolen from the Clifford station. G. L. Marsh and W. L. Tracy, two other witnesses, identified the articles as N. & W. property. Arthurs claimed that he merely carried the sack to the junk shop for "Red" Clifford, Earl Whit and some other boys, but the police are disinclined to believe that these boys were in any way connected with the stealing. The court held Arthurs to the grand jury in the sum of \$200 and committed him to the county jail.

## Attorney Retained

Attorney Anselm Skelton has been retained by Edgar W. Davis, of New Boston, defendant in a divorce and alimony suit filed in common pleas court last Saturday to contest the action. The wife is represented by Attorney Blair and Kimble.

**DR. G. A. SULZER**  
In Portsmouth, Thursdays and Fridays. Office 998 East Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

## DEEDS

One deed was filed for record at the county recorder's office Wednesday morning, conveying the title to lot 134 in the Timmonds' Second Allotment from Henry Saunders to Nellie B. Saunders. The consideration was set named.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday morning to the following couples:

Samuel Bowles, 25, a farmer, and Miss Letitia Humphries, both of Adams county. Spiro A. J. Finney, Daniel Duff, 21, a shoemaker, and Myrtle Ash, 18, a shoemaker, both of this city. Spiro J. W. Byron, Hilley Lloyd, 23, a farmer, of Jackson, and Barbara Hiss, 21, this city. Rev. J. W. Dillon.

First quality work at reasonable prices, Brehmer, the Painter.

## Sample Brick Arrive

The Kentucky Fire-Brick company, with offices in the Masonic Temple, has received its new samples of brick handled by the firm. Over one hundred shades of building brick are included in the line which have been arranged on display in the attractive offices of the firm.

## In Jefferson Twp.

E. O. McCowen, county school superintendent, was called to Jefferson township Wednesday to meet with the township board of education to discuss plans for raising funds to make up a small deficit in the school fund.

## DON'T USE SOAP ON YOUR HAIR

When you wash your hair, don't use soap. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain undiluted coconut oil. For this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few quinces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

## JITNEY DRIVERS PLAN FOR AN ORGANIZATION

For the purpose of protecting themselves and to safeguard the public a number of jitney owners and drivers met in Attorney Judge A. Z. Blair's office Tuesday night and perfected an organization. It is understood that a ban is to be placed on "jitney joyrides."

The officers elected were, as follows: Earl Westwood, president; Albion Blair, vice president; Earl Poehr, secretary, and James E. Starlin, treasurer.

The association is planning to establish 25 stations in the city. Most of these will be off the street car lines," said James Starlin, Wednesday. "We are planning to accommodate the public and our machines will be kept in good repair and we will pay attention to details that will provide for good service."

Another meeting will be held tonight and steps may be taken to have the association incorporated. Among those present at last night's meeting were Pearl McGraw, Albion Blair, Earl Westwood, James E. Starlin, A. B. Eason, W. J. Hariz, T. E. Phelp, Millard Moore and Otto Carpenter.

## NOW IT'S A 50c JITNEY

The fifty-cent "jitney" made its appearance in Huntington Tuesday.

The bibulously-inclined populace of that sedate town are now jitting to Ashland and Chateausburg for their liquid refreshments and the jitney drivers are charging fifty cents, one way. They are hauling lots of passengers according to reports being received here. Other towns have employed the jitney for shopping purposes, but it remained for Huntington to put them to a new use.

## NEW BOSTON

William Middaugh, well known watchman at the Whitaker-Glessner steel plant, has announced himself as a candidate for Clay township trustee.

John Shuter of Harrisonville, arrested Monday for being drunk was fined the usual \$4.80 when he faced Mayor J. S. Davis Tuesday and pleaded guilty.

John Itenson, Gallia, pike contractor, has been bitten by the auto bug and is thinking of buying an automobile.

T. H. McCann, wife and two children returned to their home in Waverly Tuesday after a short visit with relatives and friends.

Advertisement for bids for the filling and grading of J. D. York's Turkey Hollow addition will be started this week. Bids will be advertised for ten days when the contract will be let to the lowest bidder.

Coley, one of Grover O. D. Chinn's horses, was kicked by one of the other two horses in the barn Wednesday morning. Mr. Chinn, going to work, found the horse down and unable to get up. He paid \$200 for the animal. Veterinary Joe Laska was called.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will give a special in Davis' hall Wednesday evening to which everybody is invited. The committee in charge of arrangements for the social is George Semones, Charles Leebbaum, George Schaefer and Clarence Hewitt.

Kaps Bros., contractors, who are putting up the three room and auditorium addition to the Stanton avenue building, are making fine progress with the work. Work has been started on the concrete uprights for the second floor. The large auditorium will be on the second floor.

Four New Boston people came to grief on the Huntington extension. Clarence Maple and Miss Lila Smith missed the Homer Smith at Huntington, by a few minutes, and took a street car to Ashland, but failed to get there in time for the boat. They came on the packet Greenland, ar-

riving home about four o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Alya Evans were among those who received a ducking.

Contractors Watkins and Phillips are rushing work on the water distributing system. They have a large force busy putting in the water services from the main pipe to the curb. In some places they are laying the service to the house. It will take several weeks to put the service connections in Stevartsville.

## SPECIAL SALE Of Stock Made Room Size Rugs

We are offering at reduced prices some special values in Tapestry, Velvets and Axminster stock made Rugs in all sizes and prices that will move them at once.

**A. BRUNNER and SONS**  
909-911 Gallia St.



Cast of Characters.

Judge ..... Prof. J. P. Yemmer  
Bailiff ..... Richard Knost  
Prosecuting Atty. .... Howard Graf  
Atty for Defense ..... Harold Scott  
The Prisoner ..... Harold Scott  
An Accomplice ..... Zachary Pughit  
Cyrus Pumpkins ..... Harry Porter  
The Widow Budd .....  
..... Miss Alma Davis  
Dr. Gotwell ..... Durrie Hamilton  
Rustus Jones ..... Gochel Ribbie  
Prof. Blindem and Mysia .....  
..... Russell William, Carl Walker  
Prof. Daphunny, Howard Lowrey  
The Sunny South Minstrels  
Above will be found the cast of the big week trial which will be staged at the German Evangelical Sunday school room on Thursday evening by the scouts of that troop. Some of the best talent in Portsmouth has been secured, and it promises to be one of the big scout events of the season. Prof. J. P. Yemmer, of the High School faculty, will be the presiding judge. Harold Scott will be arraigned in court for rifling the pockets of one Cyrus Pumpkins (Harry Porter) at the street fair last week. There will be some eight or ten important witnesses in the case; the whole affair being a clever comedy from start to finish. Some good musical numbers will be introduced during the trial by Miss Davis, Howard Lowrey and the Sunny South Minstrels. Prof. Blindem and Mysia will give some of their tricks in magic, and Mr. Porter will entertain with a fine lot of monologues and imitations.

## THURSDAY SPECIALS

25 lb. sack Arbuckles Granulated Sugar ..... \$1.59  
2 1/2 lb. sack White Lily Flour ..... \$1.45  
1 sack White Lily Flour ..... 80c  
1 lb. Sugar Cured Ham, not salty ..... 12 1/2c  
1 lb. Fancy Bacon by the side 15c  
1 lb. Fancy Pickled Pork, all you want ..... 10c  
50 lb. can Pure Hog Lard, half car just arrived, for 1 day only at ..... \$5.48  
2 dozen Country Eggs ..... 35c  
10 bars Star Soap ..... 45c  
10 bars Octagon Soap ..... 45c  
6 lbs. Arbuckles Coffee ..... \$1.25  
4 lbs. bulk Coffee ..... 50c

**WM. CANTER**  
Phone 1716 A. Phone 1716 A

## WILL GIVE SOCIAL

The Ladies' Union of the Christian church at South Portsmouth will give a social Friday night, May 7th.

**ALSPAUGH**  
for good Refrigerators. adv-131f

## A WELL KNOWN RING



Most of the mothers and many of the grandmothers of this community are wearing wedding rings purchased of Albert Zoellner.

It is a good start on married life to have this wedding ring. It is of plump, full quality, durable, lasting and of superior workmanship.

All sizes and four different karats.

**Albert Zoellner**  
JEWELER  
Third and Chillicothe



CLAPLIN AND KINZEL, safety first ball shoes, \$3.50, \$5, \$7.50. Both in stock at BAKER'S, exclusive agent, 815 Gallia street.

**NOTICE**  
Gertrude Martin, whose residence is unknown, is hereby notified that James W. Martin has filed his petition against her for divorce and custody of their children in case No. 1403 of the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, charging the said Gertrude Martin with wilful desertion with intent to defraud for more than three years, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 15th day of June, 1915.

## GOVERNOR WILLIS INVITED TO OPENING

The frontman says: "On his return home from the Ohio State League meeting at Portsmouth last evening Manager Dick Smith of the Ironton club, announced that in reply to an invitation extended Gov. Willis to be present at the opening of the State

## Not Satisfied With Chautauqua Dates

Local promoters of the Redpath Chautauqua propose to use their efforts to have the dates for the local engagement changed, if possible. When the contracts were signed up last fall, they claim that it was with the distinct

understanding that the local engagement was not to include the Fourth of July. The dates announced by the Chautauqua company Tuesday were July 2 to 8 inclusive.

The Chautauqua company also promised to have a man here, by April 15th, to discuss the matter of dates with the local committee, but this promise was not adhered to, the local committee claims. He is expected early this month, and nothing will be done until his arrival.

**Mrs. Haney Moves.**  
Mrs. Addie Haney has moved from Twelfth street to 1307 High street, where she will be pleased to meet all her friends and customers.

**ALSPAUGH**  
for large Rug selection. All prices. adv 131f

## Resinol

will probably clear it. Just try Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment regularly for a week and see if they do not make a blessed difference in your complexion.

Sold by all druggists. Prescribed by doctors for 25 years for most skin troubles. Use Resinol Soap for your shampoo, too.

Thus, Edward Russell, the noted editor and writer, has gone to Europe to write of the human side of the war. Be sure to read these articles in the Cincinnati Post. Agent's Phone 1120 Y

## "SHINE"

SHINE'S CAMPAIGN CERTAINLY LOOKS LIKE A WINNER.



# CHARLIE CHAPLIN AT THE LYRIC

TONIGHT and  
TO-MORROW

IN ADDITION TO OTHER  
GOOD PICTURES

Don't Miss Them

## LIQUOR DECENTRALIZER BONE OF CONTENTION FOR SENATE IN LAST EFFORTS

Columbus, May 5.—Administration forces were prepared today to force a vote on the McDermott bill to decentralize the liquor licensing system, and to that end were making strenuous efforts to line up liberally inclined Republican senators for it. No further attempts were made to get the votes of the Hamilton county delegation, however, following their refusal yesterday to abide by the compromise agreement of Peter W. Durr, Hamilton county leader.

Administration leaders planned today to withhold the introduction of the McDermott bill until enough votes are assured to pass the measure, it is said. Although in the main, it was ready for presentation at today's session, Republican senators expressed the opinion that it would not be put in.

**Bill Stands As Final**  
**Decentralizer Compromise**  
The McDermott bill represents in substance the final compromise of the administration, it was said authoritatively. No preparation has been made for the condition which would arise if it were killed.

Governor Willis, in any case, will not agree to a "decentralizer" which would make counties, instead of districts, composed of two or three counties, the units for dispensing licenses, it was stated. Neither will he consider a measure which would deprive state authorities of the right to

pass finally on approvals in license revocation cases.

The Republican platform pledge of state enforcement of liquor laws is interpreted by the governor as necessitating such a provision and he would not hold the state had law enforcement power without this. The county unit system would throw politics into county elections too much, it was also explained.

**Holds Liberal Republicans Responsible For Measure**  
These points were set forth to several Republican senators, by Governor Willis today. Word was given to Senators Wise of Stark, Myers of Marion, and Moore of Jefferson, it was said, that they would be held responsible if the McDermott bill fails to pass substantially in the form in which it is presented. These senators are considered liberally inclined, it was explained.

Senator Gallagher was said to have told administration leaders he will insist on the passage of his bill to amend the mine run law before he assents freely to the provisions of the McDermott bill. There are enough Republican senators without the three Cincinnati men, and 17 votes are required to pass the bill. A submission for Senator Lloyd of Franklin, Democrat, to come to the governor's office led to reports that efforts would be made to secure Democratic votes for the bill. This was considered improbable by most legislative observers.

## LAWSON TO GIVE AID TO MINERS ON TRIAL

Denver, Colorado, May 5.—John R. Lawson, Colorado member of the International Executive Board of the United Mine Workers of America, convicted of the murder of John Nimmo, reached Denver from Trinidad today. His train was met by a delegation representing the United Mine Workers and the Colorado State Federation of Labor.

Lawson said he had not deter-

mined upon his course pending decision on his motion for a new trial. He has considered a visit to his wife, an invalid, in Los Angeles. "But I don't know that it would be right for me to leave Colorado just now," he explained. "They're going to try some of the other boys at Trinidad and I may be needed there to help in the defense. I can't turn my back on the miners when they are in trouble."

## ARSON RING ACTIVE IN CLEVELAND, MANY FIRES

Cleveland, May 5.—One fireman was injured, a horse burned to death and eighteen dwellings were destroyed or damaged in a series of fires which kept a restricted residence district in the East End in a state of great excitement all last night. Fire officials today were trying to find a supposed ar-

son ring believed to be responsible. The injured fireman is John Stanton, who was badly burned and is in a hospital. Several dozen families were routed from the burning buildings in their night clothes and many had narrow escapes from injury. The property loss was not heavy.

## SAYS U. S. AND ENGLAND NOT AGREED ON JAPAN

London, May 5.—The United States and Great Britain have entered into no formal negotiations on the subject of Japan's demands on China. Announcement to this effect was made in the house of commons Tuesday by British Foreign Minister Sir Edward Grey, adding that the only communication of the sort between the American and British governments had been a brief and informal conversation in February between

Ambassador Page and a representative of Great Britain.

**Building Garage**  
Walter Egbert's new garage in the second Thomas addition at Lucasville is nearing completion. Contractor Smith, of Lucasville, is doing the work. Egbert's plans are to take care of the automobiles who arrive in the village and want places to keep their cars over night.

## Do You Suffer?

"Eight years ago," writes Mrs. Luther Downey, of Piqua, Ohio, "I was unable to do anything on account of womanly troubles. Two of the best doctors in town persuaded me to have an operation. I did so and never knew a word afterwards. I suffered from almost every ailment woman is heir to. As I grew older I got worse, until I could not lie up long enough to cook a meal. I only weighed 100. My husband got me a bottle of CARDUI, and the first three doses helped. Now I weigh 165 pounds, and feel fine. I cannot say enough in favor of the remedy, for it has made me well."

**CARDUI** The Woman's Tonic  
CARDUI-You-Are  
OVER 10 YEARS SUCCESS  
AT ALL DRUG STORES

## NEW U. S. SUB IS LAUNCHED

Quincy, Mass., May 5.—The torpedo boat destroyer Tucker, launched at the yards of the Fore River Ship Building Corporation Tuesday is one of the largest ever built for the United States navy. It measures 315 feet over all, with a beam of 20 feet, 10 inches, and a depth of 17 feet, 7 inches. Its displacement is 1,090 tons and the vessel is equipped with a 17,000 horse-power engine.

The Tucker is named for Commodore Samuel Tucker, who served in the wars of the revolution and of 1812.

## WILL BUILD HOUSES

Assistant Postmaster D. E. Thomas announced Wednesday that he would soon award a contract for the erection of three six-room houses on the Belden Nichols property he recently acquired on Sixth street.

## Back From Trip

John Wilhelm, of Second street, has returned from a two weeks' trip through West Virginia in the interest of the Portsmouth Engine company. This plant is being operated 12 hours a day and has more orders ahead now than at any time since it was placed in operation.

## MILL MEN MUST REMOVE TRIMMINGS

Youngstown, Ohio, May 5.—Workmen in the East Youngstown mills assert they are being asked to remove mustaches, beards and all other hirsute adornments for sanitary reasons. Mustaches are pointed out as a medium for the transmission of germs through drinking cups. Many ailments affecting the mill men can be traced to this source of infection, officials declare.

## THEATRICAL

**At The Sun**  
Annette Kellerman in "Nephtine" Daughter, one of the most successful photo-plays ever presented, will be at The Sun Theatre for three days, May 6, 7 and 8, commencing matinee tomorrow. This picture not alone displays Miss Kellerman's ability as a swimmer and diver, but disclosed her wonderful charm as an exponent of a modern Venus, which gives her the title of the perfect woman, together with her ability as an actress of no mean distinction. In the eight thousand feet of film, with five hundred scenes, Miss Kellerman is ever present, and each scene is a feature in itself.

This photo-play run at the Globe Theatre, New York, eight months, giving in that time four hundred and eighty performances, which is the longest time any picture has played at any one house, and judging from all reports, the engagement at the Sun should be a profitable one.

**Completing House**  
Arthur Monahan's new home on North street, Lucasville, will be completed in about three weeks. John Albard, contractor of this city is doing the work. The house will have water, light and all modern conveniences.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of my beloved wife. Also the singers, Mr. Backworth, W. W. Wiser, WESLEY JENKINS and CHIL DREN.

## COMMISSIONS PAID ON STATE PRINTING FARMED BY BARNES

Syracuse, N. Y., May 5.—Chas. Manchester, general manager of the J. B. Lyon company, of Albany, testified in the supreme court here today that his concern had paid commissions upon all orders for public printing received from the Journal company, controlled by William Barnes. The commissions amounted, he (thousands of dollars. The witness swore he had never talked to Mr. Barnes about printing contracts. Lists of the holders of stock in the Journal Co., compiled from books supplied by Mr. Barnes, showed that the former chairman of the Republican state committee and members of his family held the majority of the stock. Among the other stockholders appeared the names of the late Anthony N. Brady, a Democrat, Chas. M. Illies, chairman of the Republican National committee and Chas. M. Depew.

Counsel for Colonel Roosevelt planned to have him go to the stand in the day.

Colonel Roosevelt was expected to continue to correct errors made in transcribing his testimony on direct and cross-examination and offer testimony designed to prove that he harbored no malice for Mr. Barnes when he delivered speeches in which the name of the former chairman of the Republican state committee was mentioned.

It appeared today that there was a prospect that several of the witnesses summoned for the defense might not be called to testify unless it was by the counsel for Mr. Barnes.

Among this number was said to be Thomas F. Smith, secretary of Tammany Hall. A large number of subpoenas already have been issued on behalf of the plaintiff. One of these went to B. B. Odell, of Newburgh, former governor of the state. Several former members of the state senate also were said to be under subpoena. The first of the Barnes witnesses were summoned to appear today.

## Record Shows Barnes' Ownership In Journal

When court opened John Bowers, chief counsel for Colonel Roosevelt, read into the record a digest of the stockholders of the Albany Journal Company, compiled from the books furnished by Mr. Barnes. The digest showed that Mr. Barnes held nearly all the common stock and that members of his family held the majority of the preferred stock and some of the common.

Recent digests showed that preferred stock was also held at different times by Anthony N. Brady, Levi P. Morton, J. B. Lyon, the J. B. Lyon Co., Charles B. Illies, O. A. Quayle, Chas. M. Depew, Nathaniel Elberg and others.

## Appears Commissions Paid To The Journal

William J. Neabaum, a certified public accountant of Albany, the first witness called, was asked to tell about an examination he made of the books of the Journal Company. He told that under the heading "Job Printing" entries on the debit side appeared to be the cost of the job printing, while on the credit side appeared the income. Mr. Bowers said he wanted to show that the J. B. Lyon Co. paid sums of money apparently as commissions to the Journal.

Charles M. Winchester, of the J. B. Lyon Co., was then recalled. He said the books of that concern showed that there was an account with the Journal Company and that there were times when "we paid the Journal Co. commissions, or discounts, upon contracts for state, city and Albany printing."

"Did you ever pay \$5,000 commissions?"

"We may have."

"Did you ever pay commissions of \$10,000?"

"I don't remember it."

"But you were making large payments to the Journal Co. in commissions?"

"Oh, yes."

"Where did the work come from?"

"Several places. Part was state, city and county work."

## Aeroplanes To Aid In Hunt For Seals

St. Johns, N. F., May 5.—A novel use of the aeroplane is under consideration by owners of sealing vessels, as a result of the failure of the seal hunt this year. It is proposed that two experienced aviators be engaged to visit the east coast and the Gulf of St. Lawrence respectively, just before the opening of the next season and locate the herds. The information thus obtained would enable the fleet to sail directly for the scene of the hunt, instead of spending much time in searching for the animals.

## Mothers Club To Meet Next Friday

The May meeting of the Mothers and Teachers' club of the lower Fourth street school building which will be held at the school building next Friday afternoon will be featured by a paper by Mrs. Floyd C. Fuller on the subject, "The Montessori System of Teaching Children," which is attracting wide attention among persons interested in educational matters. Mrs. William H. Schwartz, a member of the club, will open an informal discussion on the subject at the conclusion of Mrs. Fuller's remarks.

Friday's meeting will be the last meeting until next September, as no meetings are held during the summer vacation.

The public bath, originated several weeks ago by the club, has proven a huge success, about two dozen children being cared for last Saturday. In addition to the bath, the children are permitted to play games and are treated to a lunch prepared by the mothers. In some instances, clothing is given to the needy children. This feature of the work has been in charge of the club president, Mrs. Elmer Kline, who leaves the first of June for Canada to spend the summer. It is hoped that some other member of the club will continue the work during the summer months.

**Lucasville Visitor**  
R. S. Wolfe, of Lucasville, was in the city on business Wednesday.

**S. R. Men Meet**  
The Street Railway Employees of the night turn met in regular session Wednesday morning and transacted routine business.

## Hand Is Better

H. L. Kline, grocer of Ninth and Waller street, who had his right hand injured last week, is getting along nicely.

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are sold by us for \$24.50. Other makes for less. Buy now!  
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## KENDALL AVE. SCOUTS

The Scouts of Kendall Avenue will meet Friday night, at 7 o'clock as usual.

The Eagle Patrol met at the home of the Patrol Leader, Clarence Bromley, on Eighth street, Monday evening.

The Scouts will go on a hike Thursday night if the weather is favorable. The Scouts that wish to go will meet at the Kendall Avenue church at 6:30 o'clock.

Troop G held a very successful meeting last week in their regular session.

The Kendall Avenue Scout base ball team will play the Tigers at York park Saturday.

The Scouts are planning for a benefit performance in the near future.

## REMOVAL

The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 8, Bell phone 247.

## MR. BAGGS ON PROGRAM

Frank M. Baggs, secretary of the Employers' Association, left Wednesday for Cleveland, where he will attend an important convention. He is down on the program for a speech.

## GRAND DUKE CLAIMS

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continue with unabated energy, is good evidence that the situation of the Russians is not so critical as has been painted and the idea is being advanced in London that political reasons may have had something to do with the importance attached to this success by the German and the Austrian governments in their official communications concerning it.

It is admitted that the readjustment of the British line in Flanders, with the consequent abandonment of several positions east of Ypres marks the extent of the advantages won by Germany from her victory between Ypres and Dixmude. By straightening this line, however, Sir John French, the British commander-in-chief, has cut off a salient which threatened military disadvantages should the Germans attempt another thrust with the reinforcements said to be rushing through Belgium. All the German attacks thus far, according to both the British and French official statements, have been shattered on this new line.

**Claim Reassuring News From The Dardanelles**  
The news from Gallipoli is considered reassuring, setting forth as it does that the allies have made good the positions gained after the fierce onslaughts upon the Turks during the landing operations. Subsequent German and Turkish attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Ottoman forces, who gradually are being pushed in a northerly direction.

**Italian Situation**  
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The Imperial German government has admitted its liability is highly appreciated, my government feels that it would be inappropriate in the circumstances of this case and would involve unnecessary delay to adopt the suggestion in your note that the legality of the capture and destruction of the standing of the claimants and the amount of indemnity should be submitted to a prize court.

Unquestionably the destruction of this vessel was a violation of the obligations imposed upon the Imperial German government under existing treaty stipulations between the United States and Germany and the United States government by virtue of its treaty rights has presented to the Imperial German government a claim for indemnity on account of the resulting damage suffered by American citizens.

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tion of the situation. Since Monday sensational rumors have given place to more moderate reports,

## WINDOW SCREENS 21c and 25c Each

We have just received a shipment of window screens in two sizes. These are not cheap screens but the best kind made. The size 18 extending to 33 inches sells for 21c. The size 24 extending to 33 inches sells for 25c. This is the same screen others sell for 35c.

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## According to which, conversations between Italy and Austria are being continued.

## Austrian Representative Expected Tomorrow

Foreign Minister Sonnino received calls yesterday afternoon from the British and French ambassadors and the secretary of the Russian embassy. Count Goluchowski, who is being sent to Rome on a special mission by the Austrian government is expected here tomorrow. He will be received by the king and Baron Sonnino. He is supposed to be bringing the answer of Austria to the reported request of Italy made through Prince Von Buelow that Austria make a clear statement of its intentions. If this answer is considered unsatisfactory, it is believed the Salandra ministry will take the position that it has availed itself, without result, of every possible means of averting war.

## Thousands Gather For Dedication of Monument

Genoa, (Via Paris), May 5.—Every train which arrived in this city yesterday and last night was crowded with prominent persons from all parts of Italy who have come here on their way to Quarto San-Bona to attend the dedication of the monument erected in honor of Garibaldi and his famous thousand, who sailed from a little town in Sardinia on the expedition which resulted in the annexation of Sicily by Italy.

These ceremonies, which it was announced at the eleventh hour King Victor Emmanuel and the members of his cabinet would not attend because they were unable to leave Rome in view of the gravity of the international situation, have been regarded as of peculiar political significance.

Those who have arrived at Genoa include senators, deputies, representatives of various cities, and towns in all parts of the kingdom, Garibaldian veterans and delegates from Italian universities. The president of the chamber and a delegation from the senate arrived last evening and were received by the prefect.

Gabriele D'Annunzio, the poet, will deliver the principal address.

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## The liability of the Imperial German government and the standing of the claimants as American citizens and the amount of indemnity are all questions which lead themselves to diplomatic negotiations between the two governments and imply the question of liability, has already been settled in that way. The status of the claimants and the amount of indemnity are the only questions remaining to be settled and it is appropriate that they should be dealt with in the same way.

In view of the admission of liability by reason of specific treaty stipulations, it has become unnecessary to enter into a discussion of the meaning and effect of the declaration of London, which is given some prominence in your Excellency's note of April 5, further than to say, that, as the German government has already been advised the government of the United States does not regard the declaration of London as in force.

The document bore the signature of W. J. Bryan as secretary of state.

## WAR CLOUDS GATHER

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people of the city are going about their business as usual, apparently with no knowledge of the problem which confronts their country. They might easily be aroused but the government has taken every measure to prevent anti-Japanese demonstrations.

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After the news was received yesterday of Japan's proposed ultimatum a cabinet council was held at the winter palace, the residence of President Yuan Shi Kai. The ministers were divided in opinion. The president asked questions but did not express his own views. Some officials express the belief that China will surrender while others are of the opinion that she will offer all the resistance possible to Japan's demands. The decision will rest with Yuan Shi Kai.

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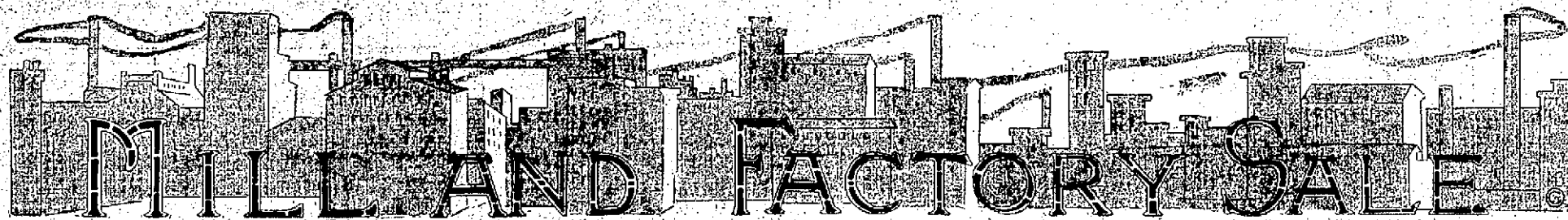
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MILLS AND FACTORIES anxious to unload. Ladies' tailors wanting to sell at any price. Wholesalers desire to get rid of goods. That's the combination that brought this sale about. Our New York and Cincinnati buyers just grabbed the plans that were offered them. Fast express brought them to our doors, we marked all this merchandise so low that no one can afford to pass up this sale. A. L. White the new manager of Goodman's Style Shop, is anxious to make a good impression with the people. He says in all his 15 years' experience he was never enabled to offer goods at these prices. Turn out with the crowds when the doors open at 9 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1915

## Sale Continues 15 Days, Ending Saturday, May 22

In order to properly prepare for this sale the building located at No. 421 Chillicothe St., will be closed Wednesday afternoon, May 5. Remember that A. L. White's record is at stake. He must make good with the people, therefore every item, everything that's mentioned in this document will be found on sale. And many small lots not advertised will be placed on counters and marked at astonishing prices. Every day will add new attractions to this, our first Mill and Factory Sale. As our buyers are constantly on the alert for new things up to the Goodman high class standard to sell below the usual prices.

# Come! You Will Receive More Than You Ever Did Before For Your Dollars



### Women's and Misses' Suits

The styles are exclusive and fascinating. There are both Silk and Cloth Suits in the shades that Spring is favoring most. Suits worth up to \$15 for \$9.95. Suits worth up to \$20 for \$10.75. Suits worth up to \$25 for \$14.75.

### Nowhere in Portsmouth Such Stunning Skirts for so Little Money

\$1.98 boys Black and Navy Blue Sergé Skirts worth up to \$4.00. Now \$1.98. \$2.48 Boys Sergé and Mixture Skirts which were priced up to \$6. Now \$2.48. \$3.98 boys Poplin, Sergé and Gabardine Skirts of \$7.00 value. Now \$3.48. \$5.98 boys Sergé, Poplin, Needlecloth and Silk Skirts which were priced up to \$8.75 and \$9. Now \$5.98. \$7.98 boys any Skirt on our racks which formerly sold for \$10 and \$12. Now \$7.98.

### Summer Wash Dresses

Over two hundred white and colored dresses grouped into three lots and priced at less than one-half former values. \$5.00 Dresses \$1.98. \$7.50 Dresses \$2.98. \$10.00 Dresses \$3.98. \$15.00 Dresses \$4.98.

### \$1 Women's Dressing Sacques For 45c

Made of fine Sheer Lawn, Dimities, Percales, Ginghams and Madras Cloth.

### Wool and Silk Coats For Women and Misses

Coats of Coat, Sergé, Poplin, Chinilla, fancy Checked Materials and Silks in the wanted colorings. \$3.95 for Cloth and Silk. Coats worth up to \$12.50. (Only 25 garments in this lot.) At \$2.98 for full length Cloth of Gold. (Just the thing for auto wear.) Coats that were formerly priced up to \$10.00. Now \$2.98. Coats worth \$10.00 now \$6.48. Coats worth \$15.00 now \$9.48. Coats worth \$20.00 now \$12.48.

### Silk Petticoats

of Tulle and Messaline Silks, Black and colors. \$1 and \$4 Silk Petticoats for \$1.98. \$5 and \$6 Silk Petticoats for \$3.98.

### Women's Shirt Waists

\$1.00 Shirt Waists for 55c. \$1.50 Shirt Waists for 80c. \$2.00 Shirt Waists for \$1.19. \$3 Shirt Waists of striped washable Silks for \$1.09. \$5 and \$6 Silk Shirt Waists for \$2.98.

### \$5.00 Umbrella Special 98c

One lot of \$2 to \$5 Black Silk, Silk and Linen and Gloria Silk Umbrellas, we are closing out our entire stock at 98c our price.

### Silk and Wool Dresses In Women's and Misses' Sizes

Styles most in vogue, Spring and Summer colors and color combinations. Serges, Poplins, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon and Tulle. \$10.00 Dresses for \$6.95. \$15.00 Dresses for \$8.95. \$20.00 Dresses for \$11.95.

### Women's House and Street Dresses

made of Linen, Gingham, Batine, Lawns and Percales. Values up to \$3.50 for 69c. Values up to \$7.00 for \$1.39.

### Corsets

The stock is much too large and must be reduced regardless of monetary loss. \$1 American Girl Corsets for 50c. \$2 American Lady Corsets for 98c. \$3 and \$3.50 American Lady Corsets \$1.69. Madam Irene, Madam Lyra, Successo and Froisnet Corsets which were priced \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8 and \$10 for \$2.69. Whether your figure is slender, medium or stout you will find the proper corset at a saving in price here. \$1.00 Brassieres for 48c. 60c Brassieres for 25c.



### Millinery

High class Millinery never sold for so little money. At 98c you may choose from over fifty Trimmed Hats that formerly sold at \$4 and \$5 at 98c. At \$1.95 take your choice of dozens of Trimmed Hats which were priced up to \$5.00 at \$1.95. At \$2.95 you may buy the very newest Trimmed Hats that have been shown only a few days. Values up to \$5.50 at \$2.95. 89c for Trimmed Shapes worth up to \$2.00, now \$1.89 for Plush Trimmed Shapes which sell for \$4.00 and \$5.00.

### 48c Outing Hats 48c

Made of White and Tan Duck, regular \$1 hats.

### \$2.00 Kimonos 89c

Fine Crepe and Lawn Kimonos which formerly sold at \$2.00 and \$3.00 for only, each, 89c.

### Women's Knit Underwear

September price in May. Women's 25c Sleeveless Vests for 11c. Women's 25c Wing Sleeve Vests for 11c. Women's Comfy Cut Vests at 12 and 21c each. Women's 25c 12oz. Trimmed Umbrella style, Knit Pants for 15c. Women's 25c Tight Knee Pants 15c. Women's 25c Low Neck Sleeveless Union Suits 15c. Women's 50c and 75c Union Suits for 33c. Women's \$1.00 Union Suits for 59c.

### Women's Hosiery

50c Fine Lisle and Silk Boot Hosiery (black and tan) for 21c. 25c Fine Lisle and Silk Boot Hosiery (tan only) for 11c.

### Muslin Underwear Below Maker's Cost

Our entire stock will be placed on sale at prices that will surely appeal to every woman who appreciates well made, perfect fitting under garments of excellent quality material. Don't delay. Come early while assortments are at their best.

### Night Gowns

We have a wonderful collection of Gowns; every one well made, perfect in every detail, some are lightly soiled from handling. 75c Slip-on Gowns 39c. \$1.00 Slip-on Gowns 48c. \$1.25 Slip-on Gowns 55c. \$1.50 Slip-on Gowns 69c. \$2 and \$3 Slip-on Gowns 89c.

### Gloves

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Wrist Length Kid Gloves (tan only) \$1.19. For KAYSER SILK GLOVES

\$1.50 Kayser all Silk, 16 button length, Black or White Silk Gloves 97c. \$1.00 Kayser All Silk, 16 button length, Black or White Silk Gloves 79c. \$1.00 Kayser Wrist Length, all Silk Gloves (Black or White) for 79c. 50c Kayser Wrist Length all Silk Gloves (Black or White) for 39c. 50c Kayser Chamoisette Gloves for 34c.

### Muslin Underwear LESS THAN MATERIAL COST Drawers

50c Women's Drawers, made of Cambric, lace trimmed and hemstitched 17c. 75c Women's Drawers made of Long Cloth lace and embroidery trimmed 29c.



### Princess Slips

\$1.00 Princess Slips for 48c. \$1.50 Princess Slips for 55c. \$2.00 Princess Slips for 69c. \$2.50 Princess Slips for 89c. \$3 and \$4 Princess Slips for \$1.39.

### Corset Covers

One lot of 50c Corset Covers for 17c.

### Muslin Underwear Skirts

The values in Skirts will surprise and delight you. Although the prices are extremely low you will find the workmanship of the best. \$1.00 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts for 48c. \$1.25 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts for 55c. \$1.50 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts for 69c. \$2 and \$3 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts for 95c. \$3 and \$4 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts for \$1.39.

### Beautiful Combinations

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This sale opens at No. 424 Chillicothe street, opposite First National Bank Building, Thursday, May 6. Lasts 15 days, ending Saturday, May 22. This sale is bona fide and every item will be found on sale as advertised. No disappointments. A. L. WHITE, of Columbus, O., in charge.

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# LEAGUE BROKE OUT WITH OPENING DAY FEVER

## ALL TOWNS TO PLAN BIG THINGS

Ohio State league cities are evidently planning to outdo one another in the way of opening this season, according to the word paintings being received from Franklin, Lexington, Ironton, Charleston and Chillicothe.

But in this man's town President Hehlman and Manager Ches Spencer are busily engaged in planning a little opening all of their own. And in this opening business these two chaps are no novices. Of course, the inaugural here is to be preceded by a parade. What would an opening day be without a lineal parade?

Just what the Artie region would be without snow and ice. But speaking of baseball openings the stage is all set for Portsmouth to have a real one this year.

President Gableman has extended an invitation to Harry Herrmann, president of the National Commission and boss of the Reds and Frank Lancaster, business manager of the White Sox, to attend the opening of the league here. They will likely be present at the first day festivities scheduled to take place in Millbrook Tuesday May 11.

And Mayor Frick will be on hand to toss out a few words and a brand new ball for the building of the league. The River City band will render one of its famous concerts and the day will be made a memorable one in local baseball circles. It is the one bright light in the baseball calendar and this year the club owners expect to play their trump card in the way of openings.

The police are to appear in the parade. Not that they will be needed to preserve peace, oh, dear no, just to sort of tone up the baseball present. There will be a long line of automobiles (owned by some of the best baseball fans in the world). Of course, they are right from Portsmouth. Needless to say, a parade is going to be slow, yes, very slow. And no doubt by way of encouragement of fans and those who buy their tickets will flock to picturesque Millbrook to make the moving picture one grand affair, baseball-wise.

And all around the circuit great preparations are being made for opening day. It seems that the club owners have been inoculated with the opening day fever and one is trying to arrange a more elaborate opening than the other. Oh you opening day!

### NOT BAD IDEA

Someone proposes two ten-chip leagues as a way out of the baseball difficulty. It isn't a bad idea, for then some of the teams that finish eighth, because there is no lower berth, would find their level.

## Let's gather around close by ourselves

For it's the open season for chumming it with a jimmy pipe that's all packed jamfull of Prince Albert—tobacco that never bit any other man's tongue, and won't bite yours!

For it's mighty widespread news nowadays that Prince Albert is made by a patented process that takes the teeth out of the smoke and leaves your tongue calm and peaceful-like. Just sunshine, and happiness, and quick repeats for yours! That's jimmy pipe joy via

## PRINCE ALBERT

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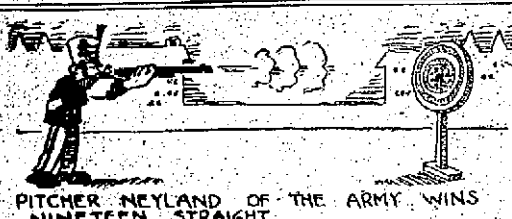
You put faith in your old pipe once more; pack it right full of P. A. and go to it like you never were tongue-tortured in your whole life. For P. A. will prove out everything we say about it that's good. Just can't help it!

You like P. A. fine in the tidy red tins, but get acquainted with that pound crystal-glass humidor with the sponge-moistener top. It keeps P. A. fit as a fiddle.

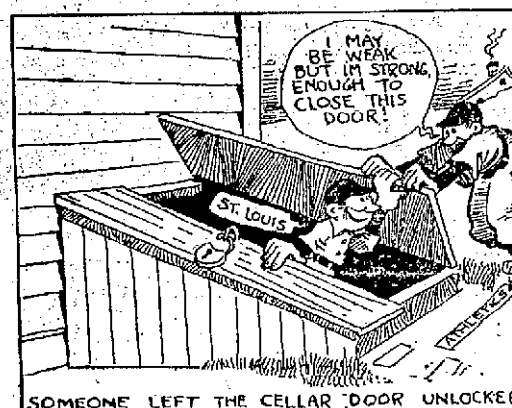
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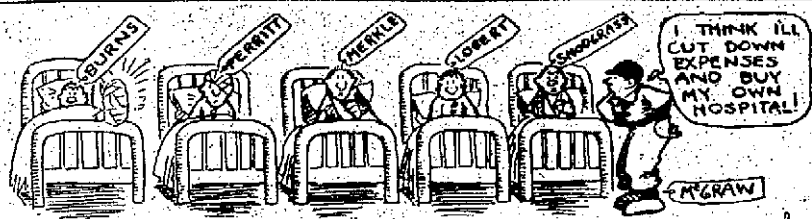
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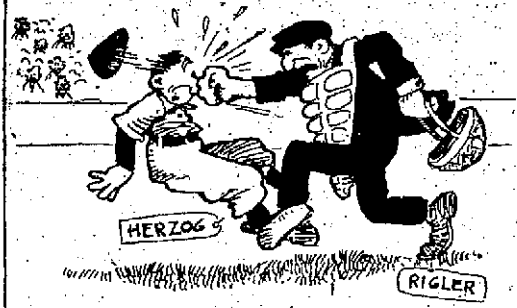
WHY NOT PLAY A FEW GAMES IN THE HOSPITAL, MAC?



BASEBALL CONTRACTS ARE LIKE PEACE TREATIES—MERE PIECES OF PAPER

HOW JOE WOODS ARM LOOKS TO BILL CARRIGAN

## POPULAR PLAYS—A MIX-UP



I DON'T KNOW WHERE I'M GOING BUT I'M ON MY WAY!



A MAN WITHOUT A HOME

## Kiegler Will Go To Mat With Busch

The Peerless City's wrestling fans will be thoroughly aroused by Friday night May 11, when Charles Kiegler will wrestle Carl Busch, the German champion, at Millbrook Casino. Eight o'clock is the time set for the match to begin. Kiegler is light heavyweight champion of America, winning the title from Ed Olson, better known as Big Jack Clayton, last Labor day at Millbrook park.

After relinquishing the title to Olson for several months, Kiegler decided to come back to the mat and defend his title.

### LOOK OUT FOR THE BABES

"Well, just tell the fans of Portsmouth that we are going to have one small ball club up in Chillicothe," said Manager Josh Bayore of the Babes last night.

"I have a gang of willing workers, all kids, but my boy they can hit and run and field, just like big leaguers. I will show you Portsmouth fans a real ball club when we open the season here next Tuesday."

## DERBY DAY SATURDAY

Chillicothe, May 5.—Between 40,000 and 50,000 persons are expected to see the annual renewal of the classic Kentucky derby at Churchill Downs next Saturday. The advance sale of box reservations and reserved seats in the grandstand has been greater than in any previous year since the race was inaugurated in 1875 and indications are that a record-breaking crowd will see the start of the 32 days' meeting at the historic course.

## Boy Scouts Walloped

The Chillicothe high school defeated the Chillicothe Boy Scouts Saturday afternoon by the score of 36 to 5. The boys were evenly matched and the game was a tie in the first half but was all high school the remainder. The Chillicothe high school will play a double-header with the Wheelersburg high school next Saturday and are confident of winning both games. The score: High School 36, 15, 12; Boy Scouts 5, 15, 4.

High School: 11, 12, 15, 15, 4; 30, 40, 40, 40, 40; 100, 100, 100, 100, 100; 400, 400, 400, 400, 400; 1,600, 1,600, 1,600, 1,600, 1,600; 6,400, 6,400, 6,400, 6,400, 6,400; 25,600, 25,600, 25,600, 25,600, 25,600; 102,400, 102,400, 102,400, 102,400, 102,400; 409,600, 409,600, 409,600, 409,600, 409,600; 1,638,400, 1,638,400, 1,638,400, 1,638,400, 1,638,400; 6,553,600, 6,553,600, 6,553,600, 6,553,600, 6,553,600; 26,214,400, 26,214,400, 26,214,400, 26,214,400, 26,214,400; 104,857,600, 104,857,600, 104,857,600, 104,857,600, 104,857,600; 419,430,400, 419,430,400, 419,430,400, 419,430,400, 419,430,400; 1,677,721,600, 1,677,721,600, 1,677,721,600, 1,677,721,600, 1,677,721,600; 6,710,886,400, 6,710,886,400, 6,710,886,400, 6,710,886,400, 6,710,886,400; 26,843,545,600, 26,843,545,600, 26,843,545,600, 26,843,545,600, 26,843,545,600; 107,374,182,400, 107,374,182,400, 107,374,182,400, 107,374,182,400, 107,374,182,400; 429,496,729,600, 429,496,729,600, 429,496,729,600, 429,496,729,600, 429,496,729,600; 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# Portsmouth's Volunteer Fire Department

(BY MILFORD KEYES)

We have told of the evolution of the fire department of Portsmouth up to the time of its taking on the form and functions of an independent volunteer system, such as prevailed in the larger cities. The first president of the reorganized Independent Fire Company No. 1 was William S. Huston, a young lawyer, of that day, very active and public spirited. Miss Irene Huston, of Grape Hill, was his young sister. The Independent Ones made good from the start, and soon became an organization to be reckoned with, not only as fire fighters, but socially, some say politically. Bell's shoe workers, fire veterans of Cincinnati and the Eastern cities, were largely influential in the organization of the company, but the sturdy employees of the Gaylord rolling mill formed the fighting bone and sinew. Men like Churley Simpson, Thomas Williams; (the first captain of the engine) "Billy" Williams, afterwards "Captain Billy", Theodore and John Treat, Martin Molster, ("Daddy" Molster) and all four of his sons as they became old enough for membership, Bill and Jack Wilson, and others too numerous to mention, were among those of the first line. Things were run on the big city plan. Their hall in the second story was handsomely equipped, and many were the enjoyable dances there exploited. The "messenger" or covey laker, was a shoe worker from Cincinnati named John Patterson, and the way he kept things about the engine house was a caution to the natives.

The company introduced a style of fighting fires altogether new in Portsmouth, at once startling and a producer of results. The pipemen would go right into a burning building and disappear into the flames, disappear in the smoke and do their dashing work, and in a very few minutes the fire would dwindle to nothing. A pipeman remarkable for, during was a cabinet maker from Cincinnati named Samuel McMichael, a wit and all around good fellow, and familiarly known as "Sam". Another was Jim Alexander, a woodworker, and besides being a splendid fireman was tall and handsome, and somewhat of a "masher". Churley Simpson was captain of the engine, much of the time, and Jerry Wood, the Phillip boys, "Cot" Campbell, and scores of others who have long since responded to the "Out" signal.

The "Ohio" was getting old and wheezy and bulky, and of course the boys began to have dreams of a new and better engine. Moreover, these dreams, thanks to the wisdom of councilmen and the liberality of the citizens, soon came true, and a beautiful "Agnew" engine, from the famous Philadelphia plant, took the place of the brave old "Ohio". The new engine was called the "Excelsior", and the boys were as proud of her as a girl with new roller skates. She was powerful, too, and could throw with the best of them. She made a hit on the streets of Chillicothe, when the company visited that city on invitation of the local fire department, to participate in a parade.

About this time, the town be-

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gan to have "growing pains". She wanted to stretch herself and spread out. The three engine houses were thought to be too close together, which they were. So it was concluded to give the Ones a new engine house, further up town, and the result was the building on Gay street, near Second, now occupied by the Associated Charities. There was objection, some scoffing, and the wags had lots of fun over the idea of an engine house being located "out in the country." But the house was built all right and the company lived, flourished and ended its heroic days there. The building is still owned by the city and it is fitting that after its career as the home of the fire fighters it should be employed in the gentle role of Charity, in which occupation it will doubtless end its glorious days. In the hall of this building, until a few years ago and long after the volunteer fire department had become a memory, on the walls hung four pictures, three feet by two, finely framed, the pictures telling the story of a volunteer fire company in a large city in the old days. The first picture showed the night alarm, the distant light of the fire shining ominously through the trees of a park, and firemen with their coats on their arms are seen running into an engine house. The next represents the engine running out of the house, drawn by the firemen. The next is the men at work on the engine, throwing water on the burning building. The next and last is "The Return." The fire is out,

the men are putting up the brakes of the engine, and some are putting on their coats preparatory to taking the engine back home. The whole tells a realistic story. These pictures are now fondly taken care of by Mr. Frank Treat, at his home, No. 850 Front street. Mr. Treat's father, Theodore Treat, was one of the organizers of the Ones, and Frank Treat and his brother, the late James Treat, became members as soon as they were old enough. If Captain McQuat and the department succeed in their efforts to have the state meeting of the Firemen's Association held in this city next September headquarters will be established for the display of relics of the volunteer department, and Mr. Treat will gladly donate these pictures as part of the exhibit.

When the volunteer department went out of business the city had a lot of hand engines to dispose of and began to look around for purchasers. Lew Ellis, who was a member of the Ones and is still in the paid department, says the Excelsior was sold to Huntington, but there are others who insist that it was Ashland. Some say Huntington wasn't on the map at that time. Anyway Lew was in at the death of the company and says the closing meeting was a solemn affair, and that when an adjournment was had it was to "meet at the top of the bell." The bell hasn't tapped yet.

Long after the volunteer department went out of existence and the engine was taken away

the Gay street building continued to house a hose truck and hose, as did all the other engine houses, and a loose volunteer system was carried on, whereby persons who took the trucks out in time of fire were paid fifty cents by the city for work done. The system dwindled out and disappeared, the last wriggle of the old volunteer department.

The descendants of some of the Bell shoe factory workers who were influential in organizing Independent Fire Company No. 1 are with us today. "Eddy" Kelley, who travels for a local shoe factory, is one of them, his grandfather having been one of the organizers. The late John O'Connor was one of the original members, also Mr. Dunn, who died a few years ago. The shoe factory members eventually moved away or otherwise dropped out, and the company became a strictly home affair, always largely recruited from Gaylord rolling mill employees. Benjamin Gaylord, during his lifetime, was always interested in the company and contributed to it liberally in a financial way. Mr. Gaylord was a very pious man and the members of the company respected him greatly, and when Mr. Gaylord was around the boys were on their good behavior to an alarming degree. Rolling mill men are not always strictly orthodox in expressing themselves, but Pete Manghin says when the boss was within hearing a stranger would think a church conference, or synod, was in session.

## Planning For Big Patriotic Meeting

Another great patriotic meeting will be held in this city in two or three weeks on the eve of Memorial and Decoration Days, but the date has not been decided upon. It will be in the nature of a "Get together" meeting of the patriotic societies and will be promoted by the Sons of Veterans, Spanish-American War Veterans and Jr. O. U. A. M. acting together and assisted by their respective auxiliaries with the G. A. R. and their ladies and W. R. C. as the guests of honor—for as the sun is the center of the solar system around which the earth and all other units revolve, so the Grand Army of the Republic is the central luminary of the affiliated patriotic societies and all delight to do honor to this noble order.

Just after the recent district meeting of the Sons of Veterans, while the members were congratulating themselves over the pronounced success of their splendid meeting, it occurred to the chairman of the entertainment committee of Vienna Camp, that while the meeting had done much to enliven the interest of members of the camp, and of the order, it would be possible to do something really worth while if the aid of those so closely allied in aims and principles could be enlisted, for all three orders are built upon the foundation rock of patriotism and all three subscribe to identically the same principles, "To inculcate patriotism, love of country, and love and reverence for our country's defenders"—(From S. of V. C. and R. R.) A letter addressed to the S. A. W. U. and Jr. O. U. A. M. brought a hearty response.

At the last meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Monday evening Councilor Arthur M. Blake appointed Past Councilor Wm. D. Bayless, Nate De Long and Irvin Bowser as their committee to act with the committee from the other orders and this committee were pleasant visitors to the Camp, Tuesday evening.

At the meeting of Vienna Camp last night the project created much enthusiasm and was endorsed unanimously. Commander John R. Skatton appointed as the committee from the Camp Harry M. Siedler, Gilbert F. Dadds and Charles C. Bennett.

At the meeting of S. A. W. V. Thursday evening a committee will be named, and these several committees will meet in joint session at Jr. O. U. A. M. hall, Fifth and Chilliote streets next Tuesday evening to formulate plans and make arrangements for the big meeting.

While nothing has been definitely decided upon as yet as to time or place of holding or scope of the meeting, it can be stated that it will be about the largest and best patriotic meeting ever held in Southern Ohio, and possibly anywhere. As proposed, there will be a parade participated in by all the orders with music and red-fire galore. The splendid uniformed company of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will be a feature of the

parade. Another feature will be the famous Bolo-Bolo degree team of Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans, which will parade in costume and have all their "animals"—even the "buckling" goat, the "witches' caravan" and the big snakes "that bite"—all will be in line. This will be the first time the Royal Order of Bolo-Bolo to the Great Khwan ever appeared in public.

The S. A. W. V. can be depended upon to make a fine appearance, and then there are a couple of hundred pretty women who will want to be in line. There will also be other features. After the parade will come the meeting and a fine program will feature it, with speeches, music and song. Each of the orders will have representatives to tell of their good points. It is thought that several distinguished orators from other cities will be here. There will also be an informal period in the program to give opportunity for the telling of the stories and singing the songs that never grow old.

**Dr. Chabot Back.**  
Dr. G. W. Chabot of Highland avenue, has returned from Arkansas, where he was called by the serious illness of a sister, who has been removed to a St. Louis hospital, where she will probably undergo an operation.

**Move Across River.**  
Capt. and Mrs. Meadows and family have moved from Second and Court streets to South Portsmouth.

**Sheriff Is Back.**  
Sheriff Smith returned Tuesday evening from Mansfield where he delivered W. H. Hankel and Kendall Fields to the authorities of the Mansfield Reformatory Tuesday to begin their indeterminate sentences.

**Made A Big Splash.**  
Howard L. Gehres of the Fourth Street Milling company, was one of the unfortunate who received a ducking in the Ohio river when a gang plank broke at Huntington, Sunday.

**Force Increased.**  
The Standard Oil Company has increased the working force at its filling station on Gallia street.

## MEETING IS POSTPONED

New Boston council failed to meet in adjourned session Tuesday evening on account of Members Lawrence Fitch and Frank Wolfe being absent, five members, or four-fifths of council being required to pass the ordinance that was to be adopted ordering the advertisement for bids on the paving of Gallia pike. A meeting will be held in a few days to pass the ordinance.

Three members, Charles Dixon, Thomas Harr and J. C. Harris gave Carl Merzel and W. D. Rightmeyer of the Jeffery's Automobile Company, an audience and the men consumed an hour in explaining to the three members the merits of the Jeffery's truck and its large use in small villages demanding a medium priced fire truck.

The men came all the way from Kewasha, Wis., to talk fire truck to council. They were to have been here Monday in time to bid on the fire apparatus, but failed to arrive and the rejection of bids for hose and fire apparatus Monday night gave the men encouragement of a sale and remained over to explain the Jeffery's truck. The truck is being handled through the Standard Supply Company.

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## WEAK STOMACHS CAUSE GAS

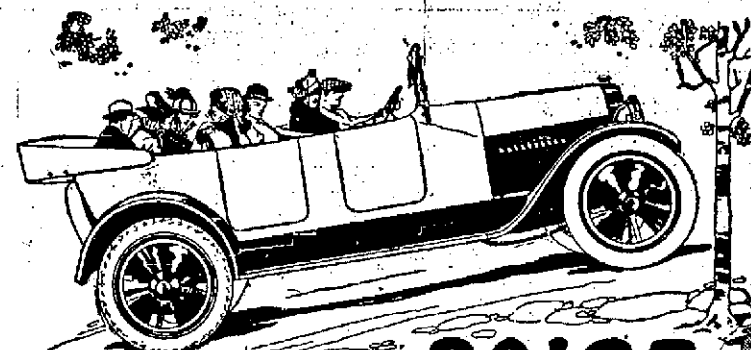
Stomach gas which is a cause of great discomfort to many people is caused by the food being retained so long that it ferments if it is vegetable food or putrefies if it is animal food. The usual treatment is to forbid the use of the food that is causing the trouble. This stops the discomfort caused by gas but few people like to be put on a limited diet. They generally try another doctor.

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## 200 Go On Excursion

Over two hundred enjoyed the excursion on the steamer Homer Smith Tuesday evening, which was an improvement over the evening before. The afternoon excursion, however, was very poorly attended. But little money was realized by the local lodge of Elks from the Homer Smith excursions. The boat will return here, however, on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 25 and 26, for four excursions, one on the afternoon and evening of each day. These excursions will also be run under the auspices of the Elks.

## Excursion To Cincy

The N. & W. will run an excursion to Cincinnati next Sunday for the Cincinnati-Pittsburg baseball game, and the indications are that a large number of Red rooters will take advantage of the opportunity to see Herzog's men in action.

**Have Fish Engaged**  
"Tis said that Dick Thornton, "Shorty" Castater, Warren Riddleberger, Samuel Adams and George Jacobs who left Monday for a week's outing near Clifford, have already engaged their fish.

**Moving Here**  
Oscar Movrad, who has been appointed local representative of Bradstreet & Co.'s rating agency, is moving his family here from Cincinnati. He has rented the Golden Nichols property at No. 1709 Timmonds avenue.

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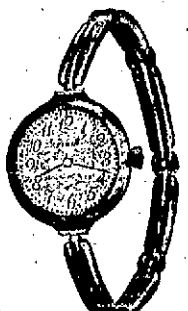
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## PASSENGER RATE SQUABBLE.

The B. & O. Railroad has taken the bull by the horns, so to speak, in West Virginia, and despite a court order to the contrary, it has started to charge 2 and one-half cents a mile for passenger traffic. Attached to each ticket however is a rebate coupon good in case the railroad finally loses out in its effort to advance rates. The N. & W. recently won in an effort to raise its passenger rates in West Virginia the court upholding its contention that the two cent rate as applied to its lines were confiscatory. Follow this the C. & O. began similar action and has a hearing set for May 11th by the state public service commission. The B. & O. however simply filed a notice of intention to increase the rate whereupon the Public Service Commission secured a court order to stop the increase pending investigation as to whether or not the raise was justifiable. The railroad, as stated ignored the order, doubtless with the idea of forcing the whole matter into court at once. It seems certain however, that the day of the two cent fare has passed in West Virginia and it is not unlikely that the legislature of Ohio will take action before it adjourns looking to the same thing being done in Ohio.

## ADVENTURES ON BROADWAY.

Editor Sibley, of the Gallipolis Tribune, has been off on another one of those little jaunts of his, this time running over to New York to be a guest at the recent banquet given in honor of Irvin S. Cobb, the noted writer and war correspondent, snidebur at being given at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel. About five hundred other leading literary lights of the land were also among those present and they had a great time of it in eating and telling Cobb what a blamed big shining light he really was. In his own paper Mr. Sibley is telling some of the high spots he touched while away from home, but a New York correspondent, O. O. McIntyre, in his most entertaining letter from New York, also tells of a few things that happened to the Colonel while on Broadway. Listen to Mr. McIntyre:

"W. G. Sibley, editor of the Gallipolis, O., Tribune, caught the last boat or whatever it is that leaves Gallipolis in time to be one of the chief eaters at the Irvin Cobb banquet at the Waldorf."

"A group of Sibley's literary friends from the Gramercy Park and Washington Square literary districts met him at the depot and saw to it that he was properly chaperoned to his hotel and left him to wrestle his own way into a 'full dress suit'—as they still say in Indianapolis and Gallipolis."

"About twenty minutes before the banquet festivities started, a friend dropped by for Sibley in a taxi. The telephone girl phoned up his name and then turned pale. 'Mister,' she said, 'somethin' the matter with your gummie fren. He's chokin'. He sounds dyin'.'"

"That's all right," said the friend calmly, "he always does that for the first hour in a high collar."

## A REACTIONARY MEASURE.

(Columbus Journal.)

When the legislature provided that every voter in Ohio should have the opportunity, by means of a separate ballot, of voting for presidential electors without regard to his vote on the state and county tickets, it was felt that a great advance step had been taken. The liberty of individual choice had been enlarged and state politics had been freed from a mischievous entanglement. The nation need no longer dominate the state, and to the latter was given full liberty to work out its own policies and elect its own officials.

But some of our Republican friends in and out of the legislature do not relish the new liberty of the voter. The Hulsitt bill, doing away with the separate ballot for presidential electors and requiring that the names of all candidates shall go on the same ballot, with those of the presidential electors at the top, has passed the house and is pending in the senate. It is a rankly partisan bill, in that it discourages independent thinking and voting and subordinates the state to the national election. It is in a very true sense violative of the home rule principle for which the Republicans are assuming this year to stand.

Only one excuse for the appearance of this bill has been offered. The sponsors for it fear to have the Republican state ticket stand on its own merits. They are seeking for it the chance favor that will come from a mixing of national and state tickets; they want to put behind the state ticket the full force of a strong presidential candidacy. That is an unworthy motive, which will not appeal to the Republican electorate of Ohio. The bill is reactionary, mischievous and discreditable. It should be beaten.

## STILL DANGEROUS



We had really gotten resigned to the feeling that the proposed flood wall extension had fallen by the wayside when word comes that a committee is going to appraise the property damage incident to the building of the wall. We were under the impression that the improvement was to help, not to damage. And if anybody is damaged, why not wait until the wall is built so the exact measure of damages can be determined?

When a woman finally abandons hope of persuading her husband to patronize a muniering establishment regularly, she tries to get him to use an orange-wood stick instead of a blade of his knife, says the Columbus Journal. Fortunately Portsmouth women are not disturbed in making a choice. We don't have any muniering ladies in this cultured metropolitan city, and most of our men continue to do their muniering in the good old-fashioned way with a pocket knife.

We felt real slighted when we failed to find our name written among those shining lights of Ohio journalism who have been tendered bids to our Dollar feed to Frank and Warren. Not that we claim to be a "shining light". But we had been taking so much interest in the thing that we thought maybe they'd let us in anyway.

It is rather disconcerting you must admit to become so delighted with the weather on your way down to the office in the morning that you spent half the forenoon writing a fitting eulogy to glorious May and then find out when you stick your head out of doors that it has rained, hailed, sleeted and turned cold, with a young cyclone on the side.

Every time we begin to work up enthusiasm about that city beautiful movement something happens to bring to mind that rather cellar floor in the lobby of the postoffice so ably presided over by our revered partner and then we have to start all over again on the enthralling business.

We have a mighty lot of respect for Josiah Thompson, of Uniontown, Pa., since we read in the papers yesterday that he had borrowed a trifle of Twenty Millions and was going back into business again over in Pennsylvania. Wonder how it would feel to be able to negotiate a loan like that?

One thing certain is that when Frank and Warren come down to the Dollar feed they will make all the things that this legislature has done look as clean and clear and pure as the driven snow to all the rest of us. So why should we worry?

It is really getting so down here on the river front that we do not care to do any genuine hard work any more unless it is to the accompaniment of the calliope music of an excursion steamer.

## Four New Candidates

Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans, at their meeting Tuesday evening, elected four new men to membership in the Camp, and these together with a large class will be initiated at a special called meeting before Memorial Day. Commander Skelton will issue the call for the meeting in a few days. Preparations for visiting other camps this month will be made, and a booster movement for a splendid delegation to Mansfield State Encampment has been started.

John Grummel, of the liquor firm of McNally & Grummel, returned home Monday night from Lexington, Ky., where he has been attending the races.

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Reading over our great young governor, Pete Darr, the George B. Cox stool pigeon at Cincinnati and Wayne B. Wheeler met in a back room of the governor's office Tuesday to frame up a decentralizing liquor bill, we wondered somewhat as to what sort of a frame-up that trio would hand out to the rest of us.

Of course after reading all the testimony, one must admit that Mr. Barnes, of New York, was not overlooking any bets to make money on the side out of the political game. But still the question will come up, "Did Teddy know all this in the days when he wrote those 'Dear Barnes' letters'?"

After traveling over a portion of the Lincoln Highway alias the old National pike, we fail to find much to it but the name. It is deteriorating as rapidly under the new name as the old.



## Travel

I haven't got a lot of dough, But I am always on the go. I travel every day or so Down at the motion picture show.

I've been through Switzerland a lot And information I have got About most every foreign spot. A dime always pays the shot.

I've been across to gay Paris, The London sights I often see. In point of travel, you'll agree No millionaire has much on me.

I've been through Chinatown at night, I've been through Venice by moonlight. I know the world by heart, all right.

I know more than I used to know, Before I started in to go. Most every other day or so To see the motion picture show. —Roy K. Moulton in Akron Beacon-Journal.

## An Intelligent Child

A large map was spread upon the wall and the teacher was instructing the class in geography. "Horace," said she to a small pupil, "when you stand in Europe facing the north you have on your right hand the great continent of Asia. What have you on your left hand?"

"A wart," replied Horace, "but I can't help it, teacher."

## What Drives Station Agents Crazy

"Do you suppose No. 15 will be in on time day after tomorrow?" "Why not?"

"Can you tell me if a young lady in a blue dress and straw hat got off the train which got in from the north at 11:30?"

"What time does the 2 o'clock train leave, and is it going to 'Is the train going into Columbus on time, do you think?'"

"What made No. 15 late a week ago last Tuesday?"

"Do you think it is safer to ride in a parlor car, or is there apt to be a rear-end collision?"

"Have you noticed an old gentleman with white whiskers and a telescope go through the station any time today?"

"I lost a back comb on the train three weeks ago last Wednesday. Can you tell me where I can find it?"

"Will you watch for my sister and tell her how to get up to my house? I haven't time to wait for her train."

## Had The "Big Head"

Mrs. Youngbridge—I want to get a hat for my husband. It's to be a surprise for him.

Clerk—What size, madam? Mrs. Y.—Really I forgot to find out. But he wears a 15 collar. So I suppose he'd want 20 or 22 in a hat, wouldn't he?—Boston Transcript.

## A Sure Thing

"What is your idea of a cinch?" "Betting that the long haul of a watch will get around first."—Boston Transcript.

## During The Sermon

He—I didn't see you at church this morning.

She—No, I was late and went in while you were asleep.—Boston Transcript.

Mother—Bobbie, I'm ashamed of you. You are the eldest and ought to be an example to Raymond and Archie.

Bobbie—Well, I'll be an example to Ray, but I won't be an example to both of 'em. Ray's got to be it for Archie.—Boston Transcript.

## Not So Particular

Many a woman who will not buy a piece of silk until she carried it out to the sidewalk to examine it by daylight, accepts the first man who asks her to marry him.—Cleveland Press.

## Her Early Spanking

A woman down in New York town has obtained a divorce from her husband because he spanked her with a slipper when he reached home at 4 a. m. It is rather contrary to popular belief that a man getting home at 4 a. m. could be in a condition to spank a husky wife.—Kittanning Times.

## Back For Summer

Charley Ferguson, who has been stage manager at the Hippodrome theatre in Huntington, has returned here for the summer, accompanied by Mrs. Ferguson and baby. Mr. Ferguson will return to Huntington in August to again take up his work there.

## Tearing Out Coffin Dam

Sheridan and Kirke, who are building the government dam three miles west of the city, have a force of men tearing out the old coffin dam. Work on the dam proper has been halted on account of a rise in the Ohio river.

It will pay you to get Foster & Hills to paint your house with white lead and linseed oil, and get the best work and material. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, residence 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, residence 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 244

## Home Was Sold

John Lindsay and mother, Mrs. J. C. Lindsay, who have been living at Seventeenth and Dewey avenue, have sold their home to Mrs. William Corbell, of Findlay street, and are moving to Ashtabula, O., where they have purchased a home. John Lindsay was employed as drill pressman in the N. & W. shops at East Portsmouth.

## HANAN'S SPORT LAST



What more can I say. It's a Hanan, the biggest seller we ever had. BAKER'S

## NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Village of New Boston, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of the 10th day of May, 1915, for the purchase of bonds of the said Village in the aggregate sum of \$10,000, dated the 1st day of April, 1915, fifteen (15) of said bonds payable April 1st, 1927, and the balance, ten (10) bonds being under authority of the laws of Ohio and of Section 229 of the General Code of Ohio and under and in accordance with a certain Ordinance No. 12 of the said Village entitled "An Ordinance to issue bonds of the Village of New Boston, State of Ohio, in the sum of \$10,000, to provide funds for the payment of the Village's portion of the cost and expense of the improvement of Harrisonville Ave., Park Ave., Gull Ave., Center St., Vine St., Oak St., Thunders Ave., Ohio Ave., West Ave., and Gull St.," said Ordinance being passed on the 5th day of February, 1915.

Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par and accrued interest to the date of delivery. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount of bid and accrued interest to date of delivery and all bids to be accompanied with a certified check payable to the Treasurer of the Village for 2 per cent. of the amount of bonds bid for, upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for such bonds as may be needed as set forth within ten (10) days from the time of award, said check to be retained by the Village if said condition is not fulfilled.

The Village of New Boston reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids should be sealed and labeled "Bids for Street Improvement Bonds (Village's Property)" THOMAS D. O'NEAL, Village Clerk.

Dated at New Boston, O., this 13th day of April, 1915.

## DEEDS

Deeds filed for record Tuesday were:

John B. Nichols to D. E. Thomas, In-lot 364 in the Canal or City Addition to Portsmouth, \$1 et al.  
Fred Dever, guardian of Margaret and Ida Dever, to C. & O. Northern Railroad Company, 65 acres in Madison township, \$10.  
Ella Dever and others to C. & O. Northern Railroad Company, 65 acres in Madison township, \$1 et al.  
James B. Ritter and wife to Nathan McLaughlin and Anna K. Lipps, 24 acres in Nile township, \$1 et al.

## Mr. Funk Here.

Kinney Funk, foreman at the Excelsior branch shoe factory in Ironton and son of Attorney and Mrs. Theo. K. Funk of this city, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

## Household Goods Here.

The household goods of Mrs. William Compiment arrived here from Hinton, W. Va., Tuesday and were placed in storage at Glockner & Meyer's building on Front street.

## OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

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Catch fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. You'll see it with open, the air passage of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more sneezing, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

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## ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

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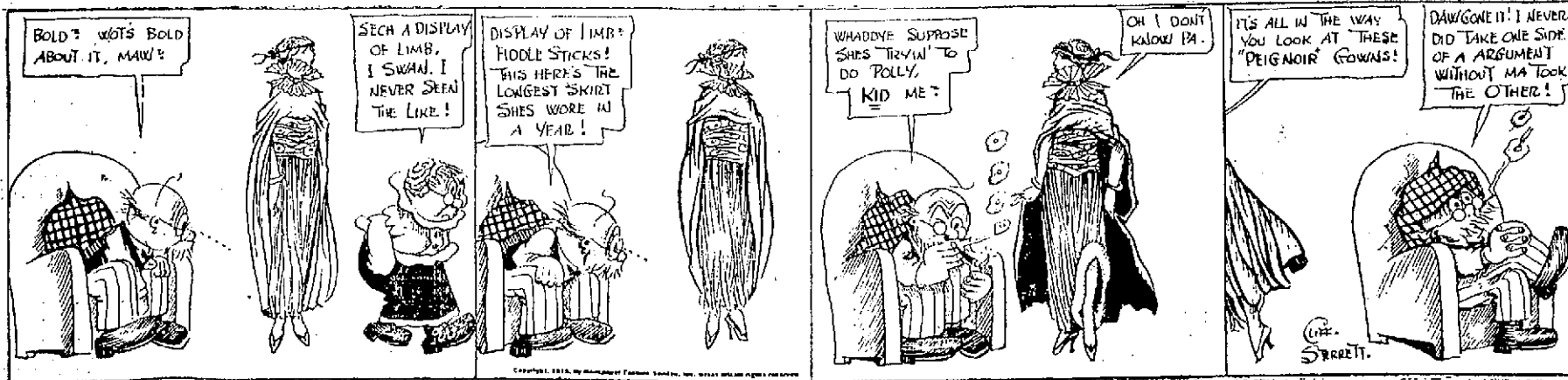
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## WAR CLOUDS GATHER IN ORIENT

### CHINA-JAPANESE SITUATION BECOMES INTENSELY CRITICAL

Peking, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boat destroyers have arrived at Chin Wang Tao, on the gulf of Liao Tung, about 150 miles east of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China the members of the Japanese legation.

Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese, or their concentration at the Japanese consulates.

There is a substantial opinion in Peking that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting upon the issuance of an ultimatum.

### ITALIAN SITUATION IS COMPARATIVELY QUIET, RESUME NEGOTIATIONS

Rome, (Via Paris), May 5.—The meeting of the cabinet which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed until this afternoon. A semi-official note says the minister will consider the question of resuming parliamentary work.

The excitement caused by the abandonment by King Victor Emmanuel and the minister of their proposed trip to Quarto San-Elena has subsided in parliamentary circles where it is believed there has been essential modification of the situation. Since Monday sensational rumors have given place to more moderate reports, according to which, conversations between Italy and Austria are being continued.

Austrian Representative Expected Tomorrow

Foreign Minister Sonnino, received cables yesterday afternoon from the British and French ambassadors and the secretary of the Russian embassy. Count Galmichevski, who is being sent to Rome on a special mission by the Austrian government is expected here tomorrow. He will be received by the king and Baron Sonnino. He is supposed to be bringing the answer of Austria to the reported request of Italy made through Prince Von Bielow that Austria make a clear statement of its intentions. "If this answer is considered unsatisfactory, it is believed the Salandra ministry will take the position that it has availed itself, without result, of every possible means of averting war."

### TWO PLANES BROUGHT DOWN

Paris, May 5.—Two Turkish aeroplanes have been brought down by shells from allied warships, according to a dispatch from Saloniki. Setting out from Seddul Bahr the aeroplanes flew over the fleet, dropping several bombs, all of which, however, fell harmlessly in the water. The German aviators were rescued and made prisoners.

### GALLIPOLIANS ARE LEAVING

Paris, May 5.—A Havas dispatch from Athens filed yesterday states that the inhabitants of Gallipoli and other parts of the peninsula are crossing in large numbers to the Asiatic shore.

### DR. COOK IN NEW ROLE

Chicago, May 5.—Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, announced today that he would attempt to climb Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, the highest mountain in the world, this summer. He will sail from San Francisco with a party of twelve persons on May 27, he stated, and expects to reach Nepal, in Northern India in July.

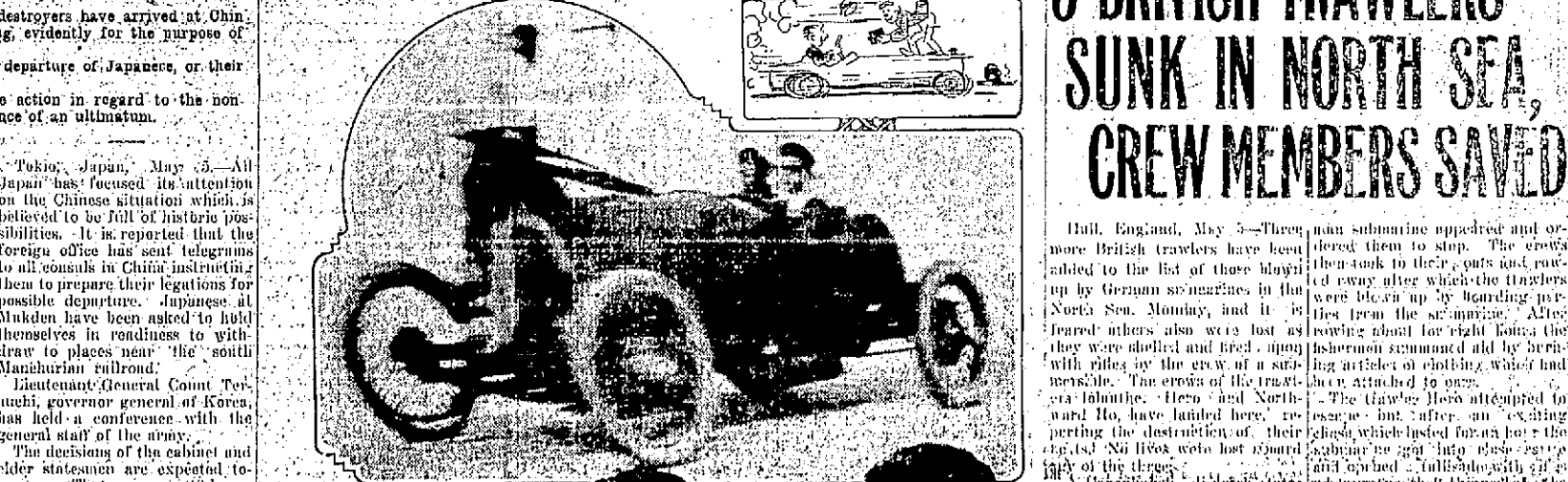
"The purpose is exploration," said Dr. Cook.

### BRYAN'S BROTHER IS SOME RUNNER

Lincoln, Neb., May 5.—Charles W. Bryan, brother of Wm. J. Bryan, secretary of state, was yesterday elected one of the five commissioners of Lincoln, and will probably be the next mayor. With returns nearly complete he has a lead at 700 votes over Frank C. Zehring, the present mayor.

## GERMAN SUBS ADD TO ZONE TOLL

DARING PHOTOGRAPHER, STRAPPED TO CAR OF SPEED DEMON, TAKES PICTURE AS MACHINE RACES NINETY MILES AN HOUR



Top: Rickenbacker, gulping ninety miles an hour with photographer strapped to front of car; bottom: picture of Eddie Rickenbacker and Bud Loughbury, taken by Jettie from front of machine.

The lower photograph, showing how a race driver looks while traveling ninety miles an hour, is the first of its kind ever made. The faces are those of Eddie Rickenbacker, Maxwell out-racer in the most 500-mile speedway race, and his mechanic, Bud Loughbury. The picture was made by strapping a photographer to the front of Rickenbacker's car, as shown in the upper photograph.

### ARSON RING ACTIVE IN CLEVELAND, MANY FIRES

Cleveland, May 5.—One fireman was injured, a horse burned to death and eighteen dwellings were destroyed or damaged in a series of fires which, kept a restricted residence district in the East End in a state of great excitement all last night. Fire officials today were trying to find a supposed arson ring believed to be responsible. The injured fireman is John Stanton, who was badly burned and is in a hospital. Several dozen families were routed from the burning buildings in their night clothes and many had narrow escapes from injury. The property loss was not heavy.

### Another Roosevelt In Syracuse Case

Syracuse, N. Y., May 5.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, former state senator and now assistant secretary of the navy, arrived here yesterday in answer to a summons from the Roosevelt counsel. Mr. Roosevelt, it was said, was to testify regarding a deadlock in the senate which ultimately resulted in the election of James O'Govern as United States senator. Mr. Roosevelt, a Democrat, was the leader of an insurgent movement in the state senate at that time.

State printing contracts were again taken up when the court session opened.

### SAYS U. S. AND ENGLAND NOT AGREED ON JAPAN

London, May 5.—The United States and Great Britain have entered into no formal negotiations on the subject of Japan's demands on China. Announcement to this effect was made in the house of commons Tuesday by British Foreign Minister Sir Edward Grey, adding that the only communication of the sort between the American and British governments had been a brief and informal conversation in February between Ambassador Page and a representative of Great Britain.

### 3 BRITISH TRAWLERS SUNK IN NORTH SEA, CREW MEMBERS SAVED

Hull, England, May 5.—Three more British trawlers have been added to the list of those bludgeoned by German submarines in the North Sea, Monday, and it is feared others also were lost as they were shelled and fired upon with rifles by the crew of a submarine. The crews of the trawlers, the *Albatross*, *Hero* and *Northward Ho*, have landed here, reporting the destruction of their craft. No lives were lost aboard any of the three.

A German U-boat, a dispatch states, while three trawlers were being shelled in the North Sea, fired a submarine torpedo and ordered them to stop. The crews then took to their boats and rowed away after which the trawlers were blown up by boarding parties from the submarine. After rowing about for eight hours the fishermen summoned aid by firing with rifles by the crew of a submarine. The crews of the trawlers, the *Albatross*, *Hero* and *Northward Ho*, have landed here, reporting the destruction of their craft. No lives were lost aboard any of the three.

The trawlers *Hero* attempted to escape, but after an "exiting" clash which lasted for an hour the *Hero* was lost. The *Albatross* and *Northward Ho* were also lost. The *Albatross* was a 100-ton trawler, and the *Northward Ho* was a 120-ton trawler. The *Hero* was a 100-ton trawler.

### PRUSSIAN ARMY BROKEN ALONG 24 MILE FRONT

Berlin (via London), May 5.—The southern wing of the Russian army in West Galicia has been broken along a front of 36 kilometers (24 miles), according to a dispatch received by the Tagesspiegel from a special correspondent.

"The attack was made with such determination," says the correspondent, "that the Russians were forced to abandon not only their first lines but also the villages back of the front, which served as quarters. Only in Galicia did the Russians make a stand. This town was destroyed by an artillery bombardment and a bitter street fight preceded its capture by the Germans."

"All the staff officers of one Russian division were killed" or wounded including several generals. The majority of prisoners were military caps but civilian clothing. They complained of insufficient food."

### Kill Long Term Bill

Columbus, May 5.—The house late yesterday killed the bill of Representative Oberlin of Stark, to extend the terms of county clerks from two to four years and let officials, now occupying these positions, serve two years longer than the term for which they were elected.

### PLAN ANOTHER LOAN

London, May 5.—Petrograd dispatch to the Times says that another international loan of \$500,000,000 will be issued within a fortnight. Its success is assured.

### RED CROSS AT MALTA

London, May 5.—The British Red Cross unit which was on the way to Serbia has been stopped at Malta, where it was requisitioned for service in nursing British wounded.

### THE WEATHER

Ohio—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Possibly frost to night in north and central portion.

Kentucky—Generally fair to night and Thursday.

West Virginia—Generally fair to night and Thursday; frost to night in mountains.

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# LEAGUE BROKE OUT WITH OPENING DAY FEVER

## ALL TOWNS TO PLAN BIG THINGS

Ohio State league cities are evidently planning to outdo one another in the way of openings this season, according to the word paintings being received from Frankfort, Lexington, Ironton, Charleston and Chillicothe.

But in this man's town President Gableman and Manager Ches Spencer are busy engaged in planning a little opening all of their own. And in this opening business these two chaps are no novices. Of course the inaugural here is to be preceded by a parade. What would an opening day be without a tinny parade?

Just what the parade would be without snow and ice. But speaking of baseball openings, the stage is set for Portsmouth to have a real one this year.

President Gableman has extended an invitation to Garry Herrmann, president of the National Commission and boss of the Reds and Frank Boneroff, business manager of the Rhinelanders to lend their dignified presence to the inaugural and they will likely be present at the first day festivities scheduled to take place in Millbrook Tuesday May 11. And Mayor Frick will be on hand to toss out a few words and a brand new ball for the budding athletes to throw around. The flyer city band will render one of its famous concerts and the day will be made a memorable one in local baseball circles. It is the one bright light in the baseball calendar and this year the club owners expect to play their trump card in the way of openings.

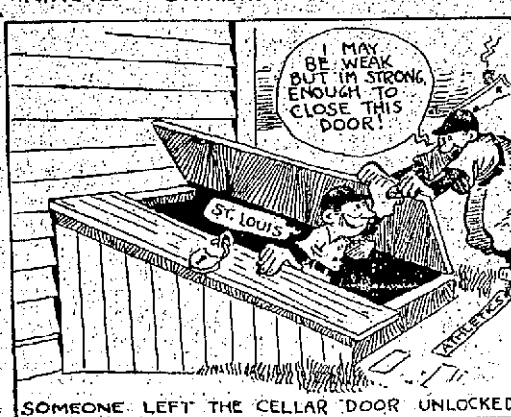
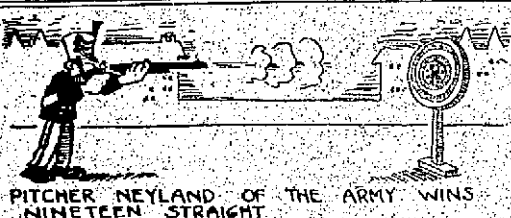
The police are to appear in the parade. Not that they will be needed to preserve peace, oh, dear no, just to sort of time up the baseball parade. There will be a long line of automobiles loaded with some of the best baseball fans in the world. Of course, they are right from Portsmouth. Needless to say.

But a parading crowd, the idyllic stuff is going to be noisy, yes, very noisy. And no doubt by way of encouragement of fans and those who buy their tickets will flock to the moving day and grand affair, baseball only speaking.

And all around the event great preparations are being made for opening day. It seems that the club owners have been inundated with the opening day fever and are trying to arrange a more elaborate opening inaugural than the other. Oh yes opening day!

### NOT BAD IDEA

Someone proposes a two ten-day league as a way out of the baseball difficulties. It isn't a bad idea, for then some of the teams that finish eighth, because there is no lower berth, would then find their level.



## Kiegler Will Go To Mat With Busch

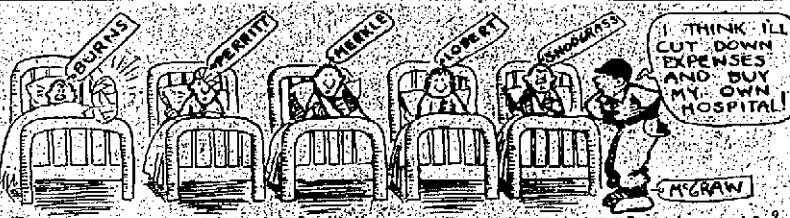
The Peerless City's wrestling fans will be thoroughly aroused by Friday night May 11, when Charles Kiegler will wrestle Carl Busch, the German wrestler at Millbrook Casino. Eight o'clock is the time set for the match to begin. Kiegler is light heavyweight champion of America, winning the title from Kid Olson, better known as the Jack Clayton, last Labor Day at Millbrook park.

After relinquishing the title to Olson for several months, Kiegler decided to come back to the mat and defend his title.

### LOOK OUT FOR THE BABES

"Well, just tell the fans of Portsmouth that we are going to have our own little ball club up in Chillicothe," said Manager Josh Devore of the Babes last night.

"I have a gang of willing workers, all kids, but my how they can hit and run and field, just like big leaguers. I will show you Portsmouth fans a real ball club when we open the season here next Tuesday."



BASEBALL CONTRACTS ARE LIKE PEACE TREATIES — MERE PIECES OF PAPER

HOW JOE WOODS ARM LOOKS TO BILL CARRIGAN

DERBY DAY SATURDAY

Louisville, May 5.—Between 40,000 and 50,000 persons are expected to see the annual renewal of the classic Kentucky derby at Churchill Downs next Saturday. The advance sale of box reservations and reserved seats in the stands has been greater than in any previous year since the race was inaugurated in 1875 and indications are that a record-breaking crowd will see the start of the 12 days' meeting at the historic course.

Boy Scouts Walloped

The Solonville high school defeated the Solonville Boy Scouts Saturday afternoon by the score of 10 to 5. The teams were evenly matched and the game was a tie in the first half but was won by the high school in the second half. The Solonville high school will play a doubleheader with the Wheelersburg high school next Saturday and are confident of winning both games. The score was 10 to 5.

High School 10 3 11 E.  
Boy Scouts 5 5 10

Derby for high school: Art and Smith; for Scouts: Stone and Aris. Art struck out 11.

May Get New Park

From Charleston comes the word that the Senators may have a new \$25,000 baseball park next season. It is to be located across from the hilltops. The patch of level ground. They have not built ball parks on the hilltops. The proposed new park is accessible and Charleston fans would be pleased to hear about such negotiations being closed.

CARR PLEASED WITH UMPIRES

"I certainly am well pleased with the three umpires I succeeded in handling for the Ohio State league," said President Joe Carr Tuesday night.

"Yes, that's right," came back a sport writer. "That man Colgate should 'clean up' in the league this season."

"No, but seriously speaking, Colgate, Long and Pittman have had much experience and will deliver the goods," said President Carr, who is making a fine impression with Portsmouth fans. He is right in the old job all the time.

SPORT SALAD

In the group of the Eighteenth Century are sold by the Morgan estate for \$3,000,000 was a painting depicting the first time the spitball was used.

Man named Charles has won eight straight chess games in a row in New York, but he is still many games short of the team at once. He is a college lad and has not played ball professionally.

Did you notice how the opening of the baseball season knocked out Jess Willard from the sport pages?

Unsh persons who already have awarded the 1915 pennants to the two Boston teams admit now that Bill Carrigan and George Stallings may sprout one new grey hair before the 151 games are finished.

It was a black day for George Stallings when Robert H. Ward returned Hugo Marquard to the Giants.

Stink Exchange seats still cost a trifle more than World Series seats. One sold the other day for \$80.00.

Nick Francisco is back in Columbus jobless. He is a tough year gang.

Over in the New England league they have a player named Humming. Better keep that gunk off the base paths.

Comstock, of the Boston Red Sox, has been turned over to the Providence team.

Brooklyn National League club has released Pitcher Wagner to Chattanooga club.

New York, May 5.—The oral or memoranda system of recording hits at the race tracks which has been practised in New York state since the anti-gambling law went into effect will be tested by a suit now in progress in the courts of Long Island.

YES, BY ROUNDS

The baseball season has advanced to the stage where we begin writing the game by rounds.

White Sox After Games

The White Sox a local amateur nine has been going at a fast clip since the opening of the season. They are defeating everything that comes before them. They are ready to meet all comers, local and out of town. Any management wishing a game with the White Sox can write Fred Hamilton, 1624 Front Street or phone Joe Forsythe, No. 175 A.

Winner May Meet Willard

New York, May 5.—Prospects that the winner might eventually obtain a match with Jess Willard, the champion beat more than usual interest to the ten round boxing bout of Jim Coffey and Al Reich, Jr. in Madison Square Garden tonight.

Today Coffey was a favorite in the betting with odds of 5 to 4 instead of 2 to 1, given when the match was made. The two men have never before met in the ring. Coffey has fought thirty-eight battles and scored twenty-four knockouts.

Passes Are Handed Out

Chillicothe is planning for a great opening when Portsmouth plays the bid off there on Thursday May 13. A big parade is to be a feature and Mayor Call will throw out the first ball. Chillicothe is planning for the best season it has ever had.

Keys Found.

Druggist George Freund found a bunch of keys at Guy and Gallia streets Tuesday evening and turned them over to Officer Ridings for safekeeping.

## Cutting the Plate

## POPULAR PLAYS—A MIX-UP



A MAN WITHOUT A HOME

Baseball

STANDING OF CLUBS National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	12	1	.750
Chicago	11	6	.647
Boston	8	7	.533
Cincinnati	9	8	.529
St. Louis	10	10	.500
Brooklyn	7	10	.412
Pittsburgh	6	12	.333
New York	4	10	.286

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	10	1	.714
Detroit	11	6	.647
Chicago	11	8	.579
Washington	8	7	.533
Boston	8	8	.500
Cleveland	8	10	.444
Philadelphia	4	11	.269
St. Louis	5	11	.303

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	12	6	.667
Pittsburgh	11	8	.579
Newark	11	8	.579
Brooklyn	10	8	.556
Kansas City	9	9	.500
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Baltimore	8	12	.381
Buffalo	6	13	.310

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS National League

Chicago-Cincinnati, w. 6-0.  
Philadelphia-New York, r. 3-1.  
Pittsburgh 4, St. Louis 3, 8 innings, r. 1.  
Brooklyn-Boston, r. 1.

American League

Cleveland-Chicago, w. 1-0.  
St. Louis 1, Detroit 1.  
New York-Philadelphia, w. 6-0.  
Boston 2, Washington 0.

American Association

Louisville 4, Cleveland 3.  
St. Paul-Milwaukee—w. 1-0.  
Minneapolis-Kansas City, w. 6-0.  
Indianapolis 3, Columbus 2.

Federal League

Baltimore 3, Chicago 2.  
Brooklyn-St. Louis, r. 1.  
Buffalo-Kansas City, w. 1-0.  
Newark-Pittsburgh, r. 1.

Dillinger Is Pictured

Pitcher Dillinger who was with Ironton in the Ohio State League last season seems to be a permanent fixture with the Cleveland A. A. team. The lad has been pitching splendid ball. Tuesday's Ohio State Journal of Columbus contained a half tone cut of Dillinger about the cut of Shortstop Evans who is holding Cleveland up in the race with his left edge fielding and timely hitting.

Bush Has Joined Team

Second Baseman Bush reported to the local team Tuesday, and after jumping into a uniform he soon convinced Prof. Billy Dwyer that he was a real ball player. He covers lots of ground and it looks like the chap who beats him out of a regular position will be the team's second baseman.

Planning For Big Opening

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President Will Gableman of the local club presented season passes to Mayor J. S. Davis, of New Boston, Tuesday for the village officials, mayor, councilmen, clerk and treasurer.

LARRY LE JEUNE GOES TO WESTERN

Pittsburgh, May 5.—Larry Le Jeune, holder of the world's long distance throwing record, was released by the Pittsburgh National League baseball club yesterday to the Sioux City club of the Western League.

## GOES BACK TO FEDS

New York, May 5.—Benny Kauff, the star outfielder of the Brooklyn Federal league club who was suspended last week for attempting to jump to the New York National league club, will, it was stated today, resume play with the Brooklyn club as soon as President Gableman of the Federal league lifts the suspension.

Kauff, it is understood, has settled his differences over his salary and bonuses with Robert B. Ward, president of the Brooklyn club and is now satisfied with his Brooklyn contract.

## Smith Will Get Tedrow

It looks like Walter Tedrow, who was recently let out by Dayton is to become a player for the new grandly accepted Manager Dick Smith's team.

## Monthly Meetings

"I am planning to have the officials and club owners and managers hold monthly meetings during the Ohio State league season," said President Carr last night.

"I think these get together affairs are just the thing. They provide for efficiency and keep the league officials in touch with everything that is going on in the organization."

## PAT ON BACK GOES LONG WAYS

One of the things about Charley Doolin that makes him a valued member of the Reds is his pat-on-the-back habit. Perhaps Doolin doesn't do it literally, but the pat is there just the same for every worth while deed done by a player. It is a trait not to be underestimated.

## FLASHY COATS FOR SENATORS

Say, fans, but Biddy Beers and his Charleston crew are going to put on a new season. Indeed they are. The team will not only step out in new uniforms, but will have their classic forms clothed in Mackinac coats of the gayest hue. Some dress, huh?

## Are Going To Frankfort

President Joe Carr expects to attend the opening game at Frankfort. He says every town in the league looks fine and are in for a great season. "There is a world of interest in the young players and eagerly speaking I look for the U. S. to have the best all round year since it leaped in baseball prominence."

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## Let's gather around close by ourselves

for it's the open season for chumming it with a jimmy pipe that's all packed jamful of Prince Albert—tobacco that never bit any other man's tongue, and won't bite yours!

For it's mighty widespread news nowadays that Prince Albert is made by a patented process that takes the teeth out of the smoke and leaves your tongue calm and peaceful-like. Just sunshine, and happiness, and quick repeats for yours! That's jimmy pipe joy via

## PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke

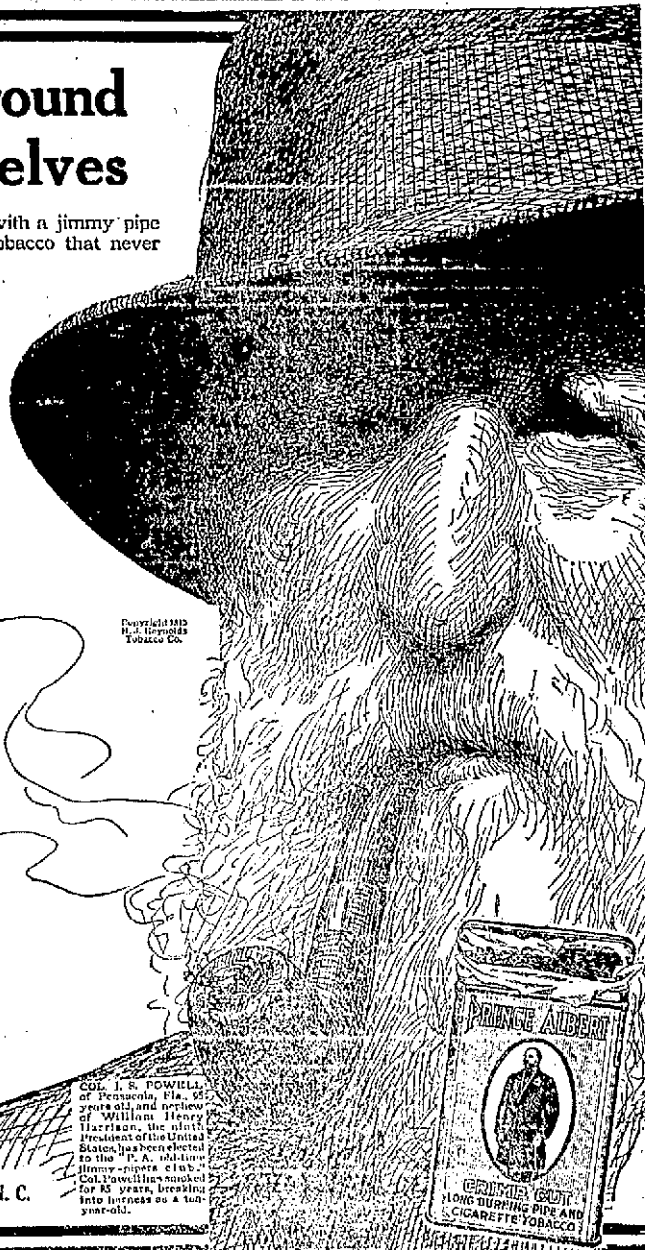
It will interest you to know that since Prince Albert hit the pipe three men smoke a pipe where one smoked before. It blazed the trail to pipe joy such as men before never could know.

You put faith in your old pipe once more; pack it right full of P. A. and go to it like you never were tongue-tortured in your whole life. For P. A. will prove out everything we say about it that's good. Just can't help it!

You like P. A. fine in the tidy red tins, but get acquainted with that pound crystal-glass humidor with the sponge-moistener top. It keeps P. A. fit as a fiddle.

Prince Albert is sold everywhere. Topsy red bags, 5c; tidy red tins, 10c; pound and half-pound tin humidors—and that classy pound crystal-glass humidor.

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## PASSENGER RATE SQUABBLE.

The B. & O. Railroad has taken the bull by the horns, so to speak, in West Virginia, and despite a court order to the contrary, it has started to charge 2 and one-half cents a mile for passenger traffic. Attached to each ticket however is a rebate coupon good in case the railroad finally loses out in its effort to advance rates. The N. & W. recently won in an effort to raise its passenger rates in West Virginia the court upholding its contention that the two cent rate as applied to its lines were confiscatory. Follow this the C. & O. began similar action and has a hearing set for May 11th by the state public service commission. The B. & O. however simply filed a notice of intention to increase the rate whereupon the Public Service Commission secured a court order to stop the increase pending investigation as to whether or not the raise was justifiable. The railroad, as stated ignored the order, doubtless with the idea of forcing the whole matter into court at once. It seems certain however, that the day of the two cent fare has passed in West Virginia and it is not unlikely that the legislature of Ohio will take action before it adjourns looking to the same thing being done in Ohio.

## ADVENTURES ON BROADWAY.

Editor Sibley, of the Gallipolis Tribune, has been off on another one of those little jaunts of his, this time running over to New York to be a guest at the recent banquet given in honor of Irvin S. Cobb, the noted writer and war correspondent, said Barrett being given at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel. About five hundred other leading literary lights of the land were also among those present and they had a great time of it in eating and telling Cobb what a blamed big shining light he really was. In his own paper Mr. Sibley is telling some of the high spots he touched while away from home, but a New York correspondent, O. O. McIntyre, in his most entertaining letter from New York, also tells of a few things that happened to the Colonel while on Broadway. Listen to Mr. McIntyre:

"W. G. Sibley, editor of the Gallipolis, O., Tribune, caught the last boat or whatever it is that leaves Gallipolis in time to be one of the chief enters at the Irvin Cobb banquet at the Waldorf."

"A group of Sibley's literary friends from the Gramercy Park and Washington Square literary districts met him at the depot and saw to it that he was properly chaperoned to his hotel and left him to wrestle his own way into a 'full dress suit'—as they still say in Indianapolis and Gallipolis."

"About twenty minutes before the banquet festivities started, a friend dropped by for Sibley in a taxi. The telephone girl phoned up his name and then, turned pale. 'Mister,' she said, 'something's the matter with your gemman fren. He's shakin'. He sounds dyin'.'"

"That's all right," said the friend calmly, "he always does that for the first hour in a high collar."

## A REACTIONARY MEASURE.

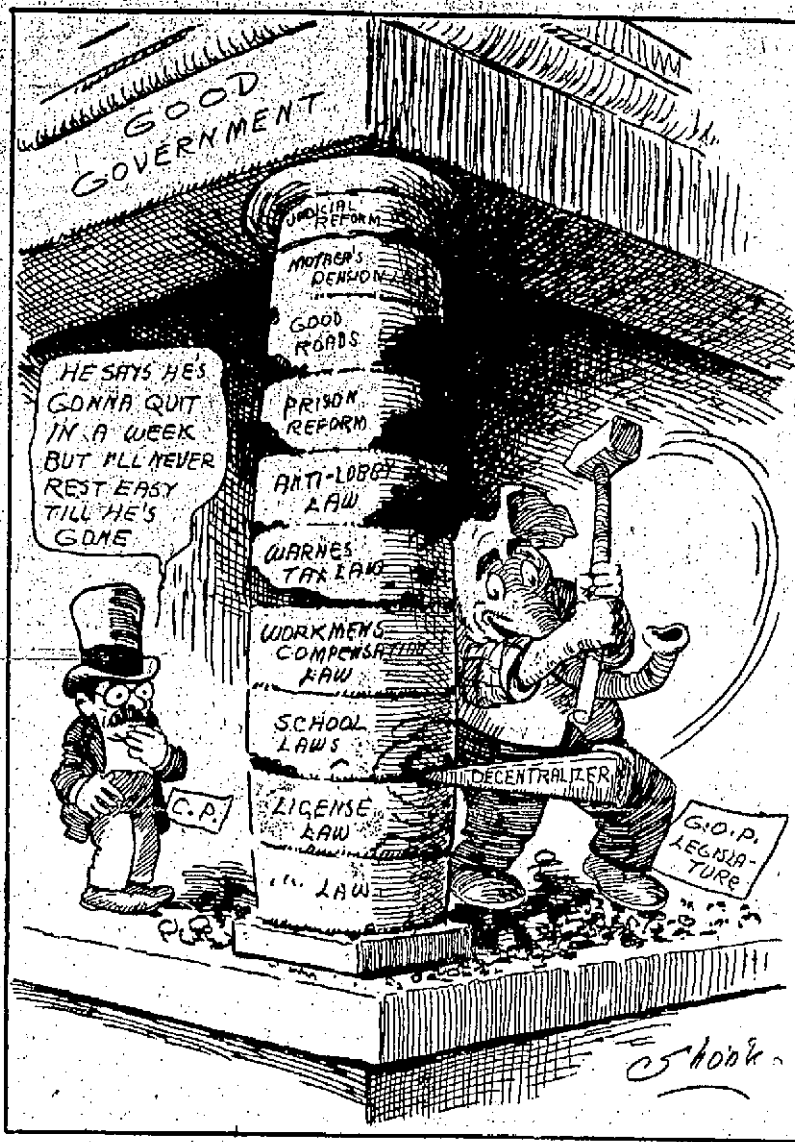
(Columbus Journal.)

When the legislature provided that every voter in Ohio should have the opportunity, by means of a separate ballot, of voting for presidential electors without regard to his vote on the state and county tickets, it was felt that a great advance step had been taken. The liberty of individual choice had been enlarged and state politics had been freed from a mischievous entanglement. The nation need no longer dominate the state, and to the latter was given full liberty to work out its own policies and elect its own officials.

But some of our Republican friends in and out of the legislature do not relish the new liberty of the voter. The Holmsworth bill, doing away with the separate ballot for presidential electors and requiring that the names of all candidates shall go on the same ballot, with those of the presidential electors at the top, has passed the house and is pending in the senate. It is a rankly, partisan bill, in that it discourages independent thinking and voting and subordinates the state to the national election. It is in a very true sense a reactionary measure, for it is a return to the principle of the house rule principle for which the Republicans are assuming this year to stand.

Only one excuse for the appearance of this bill has been offered. The sponsors for it fear to have the Republican state ticket stand on its own merits. They are seeking for it the chance that will come from a mixing of national and state tickets; they want to put behind the state ticket the full force of a strong presidential candidacy. That is an unworthy motive, which will not appeal to the Republican electorate of Ohio. The bill is reactionary, mischievous and discreditable. It should be beaten.

## STILL DANGEROUS



We had really gotten resigned to the feeling that the proposed flood wall extension had fallen by the wayside when word comes that a committee is going to appraise the property damage incident to the building of the wall. We were under the impression that the improvement was to help, not to damage. And if anybody is damaged, why not wait until the wall is built so the exact measure of damages can be determined?

When a woman finally abandons hope of persuading her husband to patronize a manieufacturing establishment regularly, she tries to get him to use an orange-wood stick instead of a handle of his knife, says the Columbus Journal. Fortunately Portsmouth women are not disturbed in making a choice. We don't have any manieufacturing ladies in this cultured metropolitan city, and most of our men continue to do their manieufacturing in the good old-fashioned way with a pocket knife.

We felt real slighted when we failed to find our name written among those shining lights of Ohio journalism who have been tendered bids to our Dollar feast to Frank and Warren. Not that we claim to be a "shining light". But we had been taking so much interest in the thing that we thought maybe they'd let us in anyway.

It is rather disconcerting you must admit to become so delighted with the weather on your way down to the office in the morning that you spent half the forenoon writing a fitting eulogy to glorious May and then find out when you stick your head out of doors that it has rained, hailed, sleeted and turned cold, with a young cyclone on the side.

Every time we begin to work up enthusiasm about that city beautiful movement something happens to bring to mind that enthusiastic floor in the lobby of the postoffice so ably presided over by our revered partner and then we have to start all over again on the enthusiastic business.

We have a mighty lot of respect for Josiah Thompson, of Uniontown, Pa., since we read in the papers yesterday that he had borrowed a trifle of Twenty Millions and was going back into business again over in Pennsylvania. Wonder how it would feel to be able to negotiate a loan like that?

One thing certain is that when Frank and Warren come down to the Dollar feed they will make all the things that this legislature has done look as clean and clear and pure as the driven snow to all the rest of us. So why should we worry?

It is really getting so down here on the river front that we do not care to do any genuine hard work any more unless it is to the accompaniment of the caliope music of an excursion steamer.

## Four New Candidates

Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans, at their meeting Tuesday evening, elected four new men to membership in the Camp, and these together with a large class will be initiated at a special called meeting before Memorial Day. Commander Skeeton will issue the call for the meeting in a few days. Preparations for visiting other camps this month will be made, and a booster movement for a splendid delegation to Mansfield State Encampment has been started.

## Attended Races

John Grummel, of the liquor firm of McNally & Grummel, returned home Monday night from Lexington, Ky., where he has been attending the races.

## What Is the Best Remedy For Constipation?

This is a question asked us many times each day. The answer is:

## Rexall Orderlies

We guarantee them to be satisfactory to you. Sold only by us, 10 cents. WURSTER BROS.

Reading where our great young governor, Pete Durr, the George B. Cox stool pigeon at Cincinnati and Wayne B. Wheeler met in a back room of the governor's office Tuesday to frame up a decentralizing liquor bill, we wondered somewhat as to what sort of a frame-up that trio would hand out to the rest of us.

Of course after reading all the testimony, one must admit that Mr. Baumes, of New York, was not overlooking any bets to make money on the side out of the political game. But still the question will come up, "Did Teddy know all this in the days when he wrote those 'Dear Barnes' letters'?"

After traveling over a portion of the Lincoln Highway along the old National pike, we fail to find much to it but the name. It is deteriorating as rapidly under the new name as the old.



## Travel

I haven't got a lot of dough, But I am always on the go, I travel every day or so Down at the motion picture show.

I've been through Switzerland a lot And information I have got About most every foreign spot. A dime always pays the shot.

I've been across to gay Pares, The London sights I often see. In point of travel, you'll agree No millionaire has match on me.

I've been through Chinatown at night, I've been through Venice by moonlight. I know the world by heart, all right.

I know more than I used to know, Before I started in to go. Most every other day or so To see the motion picture show. —Roy K. Moulton in Akron Beacon-Journal.

## An Intelligent Child

A large map was spread upon the wall and the teacher was instructing the class in geography. "Honey," said she to a small pupil, "when you stand in Europe facing the north you have on your right hand the great continent of Asia. What have you on your left hand?"

"A wall," replied Horace, "but I can't help it, teacher."

## What Drives Station Agents Crazy

"Do you suppose No. 15 will be in on time day after tomorrow? Why not?"

"Can you tell me if a young lady in a blue dress and straw hat got off the train which got in from the north at 11:30?"

"What time does the 2 o'clock train leave, and is it going to leave on time?"

"Is the train going into Columbus on time, do you think?"

"What made No. 15 late a week ago last Tuesday?"

"Do you think it is safer to ride in a parlor car, or is there apt to be a rear-end collision?"

"Have you noticed an old gentleman with white whiskers and a telescope go through the station any time today?"

"I lost a buck comb on the train three weeks ago last Wednesday. Can you tell me where I can find it?"

"Will you watch for my sister and tell her how to get up to my house? I haven't time to wait for her train."

## Had The "Big Head"

Mrs. Youngbridge—"I want to get a hat for my husband. It's to be a surprise for him."

Clerk—"What size, madam?" Mrs. Y.—Really? I forgot to find out. But he wears a 15 collar. So I suppose he'd want 20 or 22 in a hat, wouldn't he?—Boston Transcript.

## A Sure Thing

"What is your idea of a cinch?" "Betting that the long hand of a watch will get around first."—Boston Transcript.

## During The Sermon

He—"I didn't see you at church this morning."

She—"No, I was late and went to while you were asleep."—Boston Transcript.

Mother—"Bobbie, I'm ashamed of you. You are the eldest and ought to be an example to Raymond and Archie."

Bobbie—"Well, I'll be an example to Ray, but I won't be an example to both of 'em. Ray's got to be it for Archie."—Boston Transcript.

## Not So Particular

Many a woman who will not buy a piece of silk until she carried it out to the sidewalk to examine it by daylight, accepts the first man who asks her to marry him. —Cleveland Press.

## Her Early Spanking

A woman down in New York town has obtained a divorce from her husband because he spanked her with a slipper when he reached home at 4 a. m. It is rather contrary to popular belief that a man getting home at 4 a. m. could be in a condition to spank a husky wife. —Kittanning Times.

## Back For Summer

Charley Ferguson, who has been stage manager at the Hippodrome theatre in Huntington, has returned here for the summer, accompanied by Mrs. Ferguson and baby. Mr. Ferguson will return to Huntington in August to again take up his work there.

## Tearing Out Coffer Dam

Sheridan and Kirke, who are building the government dam three miles west of the city, have a force of men tearing out the old coffer dam. Work on the dam proper has been halted on account of a rise in the Ohio river.

It will pay you to get Foster & Hills to paint your house with white lead and linseed oil, and get the best work and material. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, residence 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, residence 624 Eighth St. Phone 1624 Y. adv 24

## Home Was Sold

John Lindsay and mother, Mrs. J. C. Lindsay, who have been living at Seventeenth and Devoy avenue, have sold their home to Mrs. William Corbell, of Findlay street, and are moving to Ashland, O., where they have purchased a home. John Lindsay was employed as a drill pressman in the N. & W. shops at East Portsmouth.

## HANAN'S SPORT LAST



What more can I say. It's a Hanan, the biggest-seller we ever had. HANAN'S

## NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS

Legal Notice Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Village of New Boston, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock, P. M., of the 15th day of April, 1915, for the purchase of bonds of the said Village in the aggregate sum of \$125,000 dated the 1st day of April, 1915, of the said Village of New Boston, Ohio, and the balance of \$100,000 in monthly payments of \$10,000 each, beginning on the 1st day of May, 1915, and ending on the 1st day of April, 1925, at the rate of Five (5) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of improving certain existing streets known as Harrisonville Ave., Park Ave., Gallin Ave., Center St., Vine St., Oak St., Rhodes Ave., Ohio Ave., West Ave., and Grace St., which issue being under section 10 of the laws of the State of Ohio, and of the General Code of Ohio and subject to the provisions of a certain Ordinance No. 14 of the said Village of New Boston, Ohio, in relation to the sale of bonds for the purpose of the Village's portion of the cost and expense of the improvement of Harrisonville Ave., Park Ave., Gallin Ave., Center St., Vine St., Oak St., Rhodes Ave., Ohio Ave., West Ave., and Grace St., said Ordinance being passed on the 14th day of February, 1914.

Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par and accepted interest to the date of delivery. All bids must be accompanied with a certified check payable to the Treasurer of the Village for the full amount of the bonds bid for, and condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for such bonds as may be issued as hereinafter provided within 100 days from the time of award, said check to be returned by the Village if said condition is not complied with.

The Village of New Boston reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids should be sealed and forwarded to the Street Improvement Bonds (Village's Property) Village Clerk.

Dated at New Boston, O., this 13th day of April, 1915.

THOMAS D. O'NEAL, Village Clerk.

## DEEDS

Deeds filed for record Tuesday were: John B. Nichols to D. B. Thomas, in-lot 364 in the Canal or City Addition to Portsmouth, \$1 et al. Fred Dever, guardian of Margaret and Ida Dever, to G. & O. Northern Railroad Company, 65 acres in Madison township, \$10. Ella Dever and others to C. & O. Northern Railroad Company, 65 acres in Madison township, \$1 et al. James R. Ritter and wife to Nathan McLaughlin and Alma K. Lippis, 24 acres in Nile township, \$1 et al.

Mr. Funk Here. Kinney Funk, foreman at the Excelsior branch shoe factory in Fronton and son of Attorney and Mrs. Theo. K. Funk of this city, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

## Household Goods Here.

The household goods of Mrs. William Compliment arrived here from Hinton, W. Va., Tuesday and were placed in storage at Gloekner & Meyer's building on Front street.

## OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How to Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears! Your congested nostrils will open, the air passage of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrhs yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

## ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion.

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity of stomach—acid soil, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and stirs food fermentation, then our meals sour, like garbage in a can, forming acid that attacks the walls of the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get flat, heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash, or nausea.

He tells us to buy aside all digestive aids and laxatives from any pharmacy, four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the fermenting mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidney and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salt is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.

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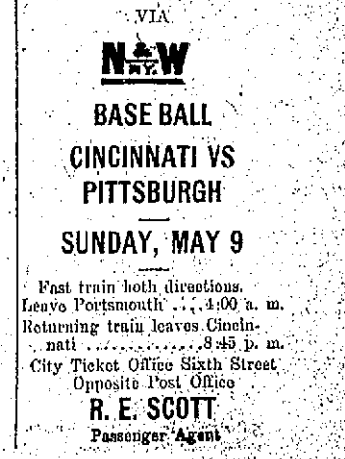
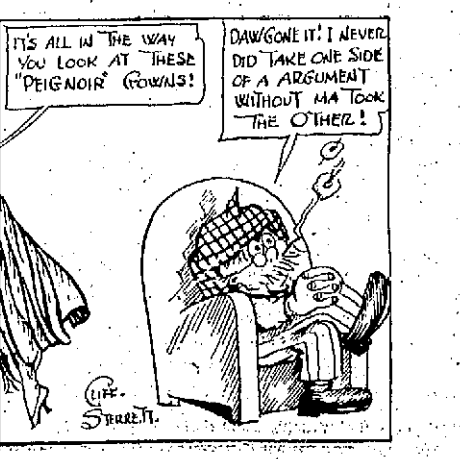
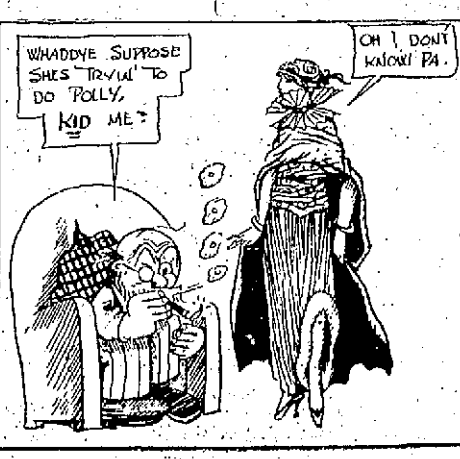
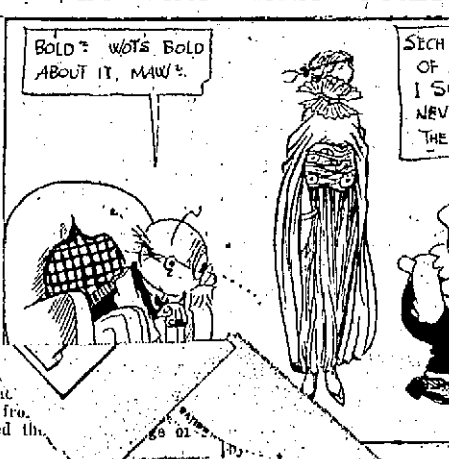
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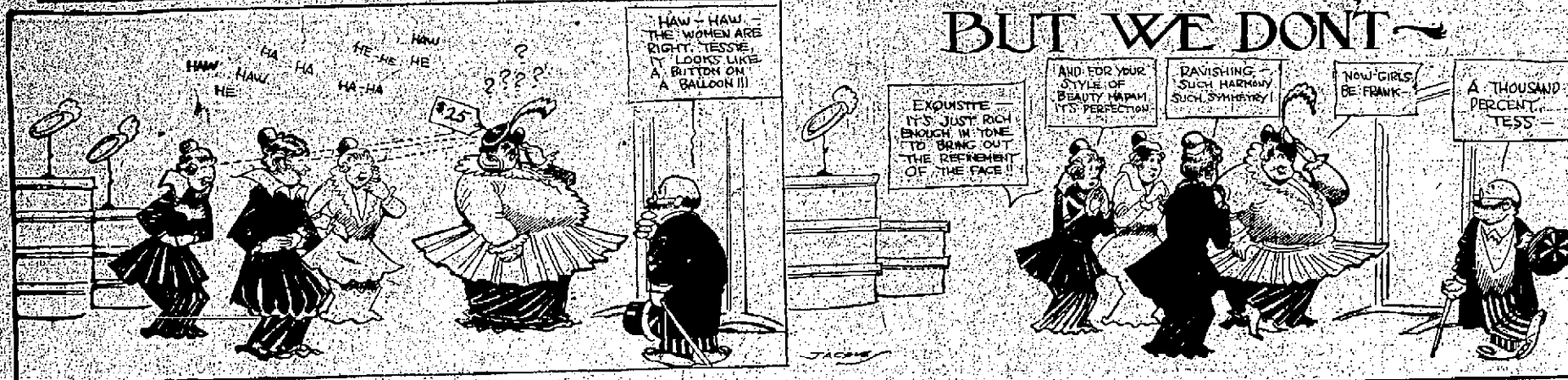
Passenger Agent

## POLLY AND HER PALS



# IF WE SAID WHAT WE THOUGHT

## BUT WE DON'T



## YOUTH IS IMPLICATED

Everett McGinnis, the East End youth, who was arrested for alleged stealing Roy Lechner's bicycle has been turned over to the juvenile court. The boy has implicated another, named Jerry Cooper, in another theft, that of stealing a bicycle at the High School building, tearing it apart and selling the rubber.

Mrs. Minnie Anstund, visiting nurse of Anti-Tuberculosis Society, will go to Chicago to enter "Cook County Hospital" for post graduate course on May 18th. Mrs. Anstund leaves today, to spend two or three days with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Kyre of Rio Grande, before leaving for Chicago.

Tim, Not Tom.

Not knowing a reporter was within hearing distance, Police Chief W. P. McChesney, while conversing with friends Tuesday evening revealed the fact that his middle name is not Thomas as generally supposed, but Timothy instead. For time immemorial the chief's closest friends have addressed him as Tom so they are reminded that in the future it shall be Timothy, by gosh.

Spoiled Grass Plot

Some unknown drunken man staggered down Seventh street and straightway over into Mrs. Mayme Jackson-Terrell's fine new grass plot and flower bed on Market street Tuesday. She chanced to be sitting on the front porch and gave him a severe tongue lashing.

Moving Into Bungalow

Mrs. and Mrs. John A. Lowry moved Tuesday from Fifth street to their new bungalow at Sixteenth and Othello streets.

Household Effects Arrive

The household effects of the late Hynden Bush arrived here Tuesday from Wilcox, W. Va.

HEAD OF ASIATIC FLEET TO RETIRE



Admiral Walter C. Cowles.

Admiral Walter C. Cowles, the present commander of the Asiatic fleet of the U. S. navy, is to retire in July and Secretary Daniels is now considering the appointment of his successor. The appointment is made more desirable by the fact that while the fleet cruises the commander in chief has the rank of admiral at a salary of \$12,000 a year.

## TOURING CAR AND TRUCK IN CRASH

H. H. Hutchinson, of the Hutchinson Music Company, narrowly escaped injury in an automobile accident at Gallia and Laven streets Wednesday morning.

Mr. Hutchinson had stopped his new touring car in front of J. E. Lemon & Co.'s store on Gallia street headed eastward and with engine running. C. C. Coverston, meat dealer, passed in his motor truck and turned in Laven street. Mr. Hutchinson started ahead with

his car, when the Coverston car reversed back into the meat market, crashing into the front of the touring car, with the above result. Words were exchanged by the two men.

Mr. Hutchinson later appeared at police headquarters for information on the traffic ordinance. He claimed to have had the right of way and said Mr. Coverston backed his machine without giving warning. Mr. Hutchinson estimated his damage at \$250.

## Brass Is Recovered; Jim Arthurs Arrested

Some valuable brass pieces from the N. & W. pumping station at Clifford, which was wrecked by thieves a few days ago, were located at the Isaac Quassier junk shop by the police Tuesday afternoon, and Jim Arthurs was locked up, charged with the theft.

The case against Arthurs was worked up by Officer Callahan Smith after detectives had practically given up hopes of locating the man who had disposed of the brass under an assumed name. Arthurs was arrested at his home in the

North End. He denied the stealing, claiming the brass had been given to him by some other parties.

One brass cock found in the collection is worth \$40, while the aggregate value of the entire loot is said to be \$150. It is thought that more than one party was implicated in the wrecking of the pumping station.

Arthurs has served two terms in the Ohio penitentiary. He was sent up from Ironton for stealing chickens and from Portsmouth for stealing tobacco from an N. & W. car.

## EPILEPTIC IS CAUGHT

Nicholas Bekhart, an escaped inmate of the Gallipolis Epileptic hospital, was captured by Officer Chas. Flowers Tuesday night.

Officer Flowers was attracted to the man aimlessly wandering about the Hill-top district, and when he took him in tow Bekhart showed fight. He had to be clubbed into submission. The Gallipolis hospital authorities were notified and they requested that Bekhart be held, promising to send an officer after him at once. Bekhart's home is in Hamilton, Ohio.

## JITNEY DRIVERS PLAN FOR AN ORGANIZATION

For the purpose of protecting themselves and to safeguard the public a number of jitney owners and drivers met in Attorney Judge A. Z. Blair's office Tuesday night and perfected an organization. It is understood that a bag is to be placed on "jitney joyrides."

The officers elected were as follows: Earl Westwood, president; Albion Blair, vice president; Earl Foehr, secretary, and James E. Starlin, treasurer. The association is planning to establish 25 stations in the city. Most of these will be off the

## MEETING IS POSTPONED

New Boston council failed to meet in adjourned session Tuesday evening on account of Members Lawrence Pith and Frank Wolfe being absent, five members, or four-fifths of council being required to pass the ordinance that was to be adopted ordering the advertisement for bids on the paving of Gallia pike. A meeting will be called in a few days to pass the ordinance.

These members, Charles Dixon, Thomas Harr and J. C. Harris gave Carl Meckel and W. D. Rightmeyer, of the Jeffery's Automobile Company, an audience and the men consumed an hour in explaining to the three members the merits of the Jeffery's truck and its large use in small villages demanding a medium priced fire truck.

The men came all the way from Keweenaw, Wis., to talk fire trucks to council. They were to have been here Monday in time to bid on the fire apparatus, but failed to arrive and the rejection of bids for hose and fire apparatus Monday night gave the men encouragement of a sale and remained over to explain the Jeffery's truck. The truck is being handled through the Standard Supply Company.

Ask my customers about my work, Brehmer, the Painter, 11f

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## GOVERNOR WILLIS INVITED TO OPENING

The Irononian says:

"On his return home from the Ohio State League meeting at Portsmouth last evening, Manager Dick Smith of the Ironon club, announced that in reply to an invitation extended Gov. Willis to be present at the opening of the State

League season in this city he had received a letter from Homer R. Edwards, the governor's executive secretary, stating that the governor would find it impossible to be present, but that very likely Lieutenant Governor Jack Arnold will be present when the league season is opened."

## Not Satisfied With Chautauqua Dates

Local promoters of the Redpath Chautauqua propose to use their efforts to have the dates for the local engagement changed, if possible. When the contract was signed up last fall, they claim that it was with the distinct understanding that the local engagement was not to include the fourth of July. The dates announced by the Chautauqua company Tuesday were July 2 to 8 inclusive.

The Chautauqua company also promised to have a man here by

April 15th to discuss the matter of dates with the local committee, but this promise was not adhered to, the local committee claims. He is expected early this month, and nothing will be done until his arrival.

Mrs. Haney Moves.

Mrs. Addie Haney has moved from Twelfth street to 1307 High street, where she will be pleased to meet all her friends and customers.

## Echoes Of Fire

Relative to the big fire in Ironton Monday, the Irononian of Wednesday said:

"One of the heaviest losses in the fire were Morgan and Bush losses of the Opera House, who had between \$2,000 and \$3,000 worth of opera house equipment destroyed, with only about \$300 insurance. They also automatically lost their lease on the opera house."

Mr. Otten, the druggist, whose loss was not nearly covered by insurance, was agreeably surprised Tuesday morning to learn that he had in effect a \$500 policy, about which he had forgotten. The policy was taken out to cover additional stock during the Christmas trade and was for a short term, so was not listed among his regular policies on the stock.

The insurance adjusters are beginning to arrive to take up the matter of settling the losses on the big fire, and quite a number of them will arrive today.

Mayor Adam Frick, of Portsmouth, sent his consolation to the Ironon public in a note to Mayor Hannan. The kind offer of Portsmouth to send its fire-fighting apparatus to aid the local lighters was received with thanks, and it would have been of invaluable aid had the fire spread to other buildings, but fortunately was not needed."

Partnership Dissolved. Harry A. Saunders and Mrs. M. L. Hammond, grocers of Eighth street and Campbell avenue, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Saunders will engage in business for himself and will open a grocery on Summit street, Thursday.

Fishermen In Camp. Charles Burr, Gen. Minnery and a number of other "noted and famous" fishermen have pitched their tents on the Ohio river bank near Pullerton and their friends are looking forward to no end of fish stories.

## WANTS GIRL SENT TO SCHOOL

Mrs. Ella Gable, principal of the Lincoln school, has appealed to the city authorities to force Lucile Valentin of No. 1809 Union street to attend school. She says the mother is detaining the child at home under the pretense of being ill but that investigation will show the mother is out and the girl home alone.

## Ladies Of Maccabees Highly Complimented

Members of the local Hive of the Ladies of the Maccabees celebrated the second anniversary of the founding of the local Hive Tuesday evening with an enjoyable program and spread, served at the conclusion of their regular meeting. The annual inspection of the Hive was made during the meeting by Mrs. Melva J. Caswell, deputy grand commander of the Great Hive of

Ohio, with headquarters at the Nether Hotel, Columbus, O.

Praise was meted out to the local officers for the splendid exemplification of the ritualistic work and for the thriving condition of the Hive.

After the meeting the following program was given: Piano and saxophone duet, Claude Thompson and Ernest Foster; recitation, Esther Leathy; recitation, Ruth Baekley; duet, Mabel Harris and Irene Ramsey; dialogue, Mabel Harris and Goldie James; Claude Thompson and Ernest Foster, who are well-known and skilled musicians played live music throughout the entire evening, and their selections were greatly enjoyed by all present.

A light buffet luncheon was served at the close of the program, after which the guests departed for their homes. Knights of the Maccabees were especially invited guests.

The committee in charge of the arrangements included W. W. Ball, Bertha Harris, Margaret Parlee, Irene Cox and Sarah Warnock.

## 200 Go On Excursion

Over two hundred enjoyed the excursion on the steamer Homer Smith Tuesday evening, which was an improvement over the evening before. The afternoon excursion, however, was very poorly attended. But little money was realized by the local lodge of Elks from the Homer Smith excursions. The boat will return here, however, on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 25 and 26, for four excursions, one on the afternoon and evening of each day. These excursions will also be run under the auspices of the Elks.

## Dividend Declared

Directors of the Portsmouth Banking company at a meeting Tuesday afternoon declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four percent.

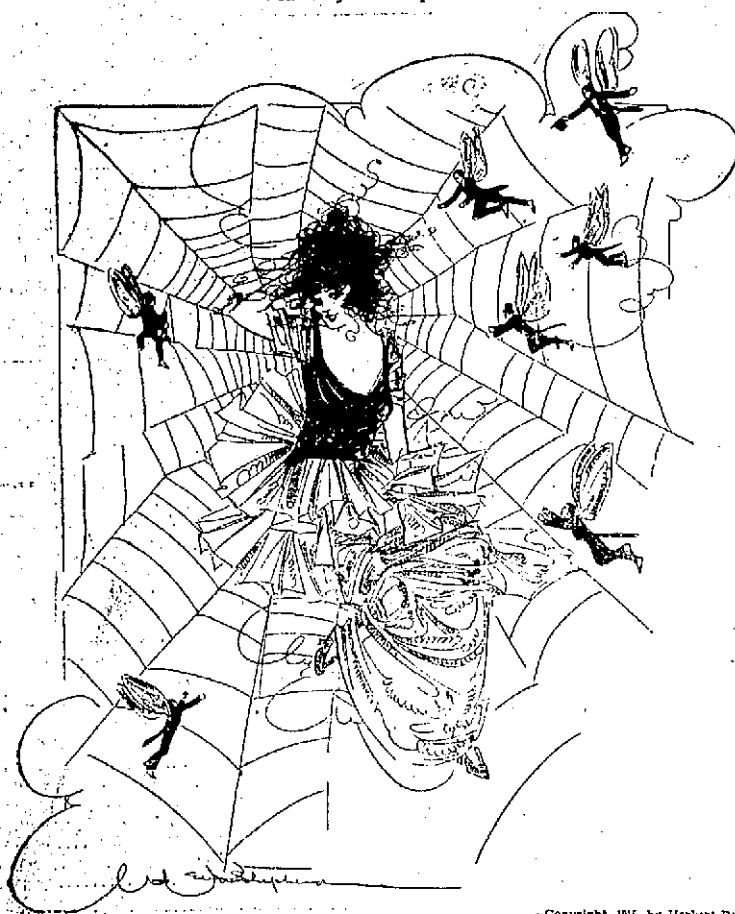
Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter, 11f

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## THE SPINNER

Drawn by Eva Shepherd



"Much like a subtle spider which doth sit  
In middle of her web, which spreadeth wide."

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## SMART HAT ADAPTED FROM THE RUSSIAN COSSACK STYLE.

Many of the Newest Tailormade Hats Show a Strong Military Influence.

NEVER have hats been more fascinating than they are at the present moment; never has style been so varied as it is this spring. Small hats, big hats, tall hats and flat hats are all in the running for popularity, with the result that women in general are in high good humor, for it is an easy task to select becoming headgear.

The military influence is very strongly felt in military circles this spring. This is not surprising, with all Europe at war. The smart designers of feminine headgear have looked no inspiration this year, for they have turned to the soldiers of Russia, France, England and Germany for modish ideas, and turned out copies of the hats and crests worn by the fighting armies. The military toque, though severe in style, is immensely becoming to a number of women, and the result is that a great many hats of military origin are seen on the street.

Russian for its influence is the smart little toque shown above. This is a veritable Cossack cap developed in navy blue silk and rough straw, with an unusual arrangement of frills decorating one side.

A Queer Shape.

A shape very popular this season, almost so popular one might say, is the porkpie. Unfortunately it is a style that lends itself to easy plagiarism, but where this queer little shape is becoming one can maintain exclusiveness by employing such materials as gold tulle, strange metal brooches and the like. Gold tulle trimmed round with a flat wreath of brown silk poppies and completed by a

the shown back veil of brown lace resulted in an exceptionally attractive ensemble seen the other day. The veil in nine eighths of ten is the saving clause for the majority of wearers, who can thus black and white painted straw that recalls



often the trying side line, the really perfect profile being as rare as the perfect arm. A certain amount of what surrounds a

a chasmod. This, again, is mostly built up into toques, and is rather inclined to knock one down, as the saying goes. It is of the course straw variety that is most attractive in a self shade.